# Belvi

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# BELVI

*Presented By*

*The Senior Class*

*Belvidere High School*

*Belvidere, Illinois*

*Volume 52, 1962*

Social activity plays an important part in the life of students.

We, the industrious Belvi staff of 1962, will attempt to bring you the highlights of this eventful school year of 1961-1962 through the illustrations in this yearbook.

Despite the general feeling of aversion toward school, most students will have to admit that they would not have missed a moment of their so-called imprisonment from that dreadful day, September 6, the return to the "halls of ivy," to the big day of the seniors' pardon, June 4, graduation. Looking back, hardships really were not so wretched as perceived. Term papers, math problems, semester exams, and book reports all con-

# *Within*

Many students take advantage of lunch hour for study time.

tributed to our dismay; but then vacations, Christmas holidays, the Prom, homecoming, and other activities played a large part in compensating for the hardships. Somehow through the guidance of the teachers and counselors, most pupils managed to survive.

The school has undergone many changes, the face lifting of the Community Building, the new faces in the faculty, the huge increase in enrollment, and projects such as Operation Weather Station.

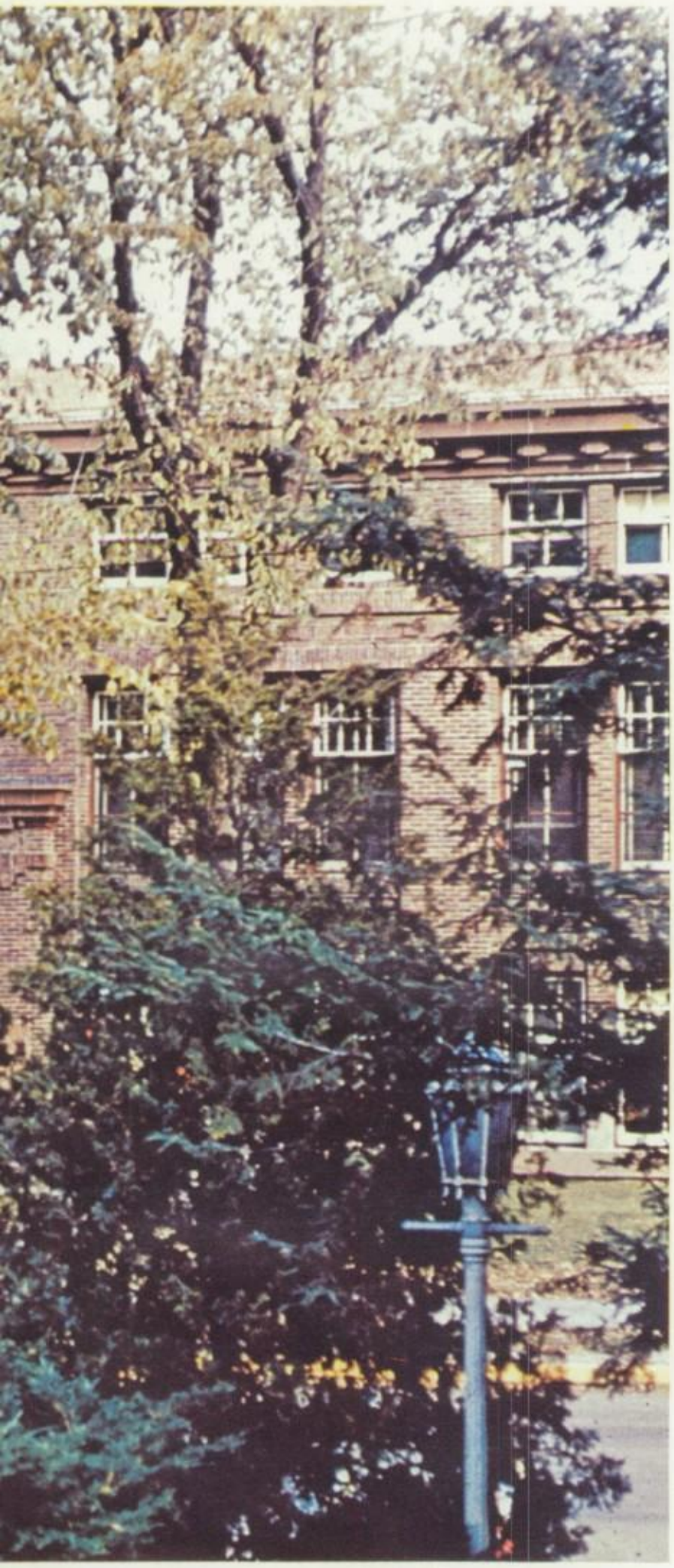
The following pages have been compiled for your future use in recalling fond memories of the good old days in high school, the happiest days of your lives.

Pep assemblies show our teams that we are backing them.

# The Walls

Assembly programs provide a change in everyday school life.

# The Face of



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# FACULTY

MR. FLOYD BRETT

The Board of Education formulates the policies which the administrators execute. The board members are elected for three year terms. The members, while devoting a great amount of time, make full use of their talents and experience for the benefit of the community

Mr. Floyd Brett, who is Superintendent of Community Unit School District 100, received his Master of Science Degree from the University of Illinois, Urbana, Illinois. He advises the Board of Education on matters of a technical nature. Administration of Board of Education policy and supervision of the physical plants and equipment are his other responsibilities.

# Good Administration

MR. VIRGIL McALLISTER

Mr. Virgil McAllister, who serves in the capacity of Principal, received his Master of Science Degree from Iowa State College, Ames, Iowa. Mr. McAllister efficaciously administers within the school the recommendations of the Board of Education. His other endeavors include adviser of the Senior Class and Whing Ding.

During the past twenty-five years at Belvidere High School both as teacher and Principal, Mr. McAllister has initiated many improvements such as the expansion of curricula and clubs. He has dedicated these years to the advancement of education in Belvidere.

## Board of Education

*Edward C. Karp*
President

*Dr. Douglas Drake*
Secretary

*Milton Brown*

*Robert Elliot*

*Frank Garrigan*

*Tilden P. Meyers*

*Harold Peterson*

Miss Brannah, who is Assistant Principal, received her Master of Science Degree from the University of Illinois, Urbana, Illinois.

As Assistant Principal, Miss Brannah is responsible for all class scheduling and class transfers. Her other duties include being registrar and adviser to the Senior Class. The pleasant manner in which she discharges her duties is both refreshing and inspiring to faculty and student body alike.

MISS JOAN BRANNAH

# Promotes Education

MISS HALVERSON

MRS. HALVERSON

Miss Shirley Halverson and Mrs. Orrie Halverson are the secretaries of the high school. Their many duties include the following: filing cards, typing lists, duplicating, handling correspondence, answering many telephone calls, checking students' absences. They efficiently and pleasantly handle their varied duties.

STANDING: M. Conwell, J. Winter, M. Blodgett, M. Koch, A. Bucklin, M. Reid. SEATED: M. Halverson. NOT PICTURED: S. MacNames.

The girls who assist the secretaries are known officially as "office helpers." The girls assume such duties as checking attendance, running errands, delivering announcements, and paging students.

MR. DAVID BACKSTROM, B. S.
English II
Public Speaking
Debate
Play Adviser

MR. JAMES BARR, M. A.
Civics
Cross Country
Soph. Basketball
Varsity Track Coach

# *Human?*

MRS. JOHN BEHLING, B. A.
Current and Social Problems
Fresh. Class Adviser

Teachers are the heartbeat of today's progressive school. However, seeing them only forty minutes a day, we sometimes forget they are human; but in sincere retrospect we realize that our teachers are complex individuals just as students and other people are. They have feelings, make mistakes, like to laugh, and deserve to be respected. There is one special quality, though, that puts them above the ordinary: It is their ardent desire to enable young citizens to become better informed for tomorrow.

MISS VIRGINIA BENINCOSA, B. S.
English III
F. N. C. Adviser

MISS DOROTHY BENNETT, M. A.
English IV

MISS MINERVA BLACKBURN, M. A.
Latin I, II, III

MRS. HENRY BOGARDUS, M. S.
Algebra II
Plane Geometry

MRS. ORVILLE BROWN, B. S.
Shorthand
Typing
Soph. Class Adviser

MR. WILLIAM CARSON, B. S.
Chemistry

# *Oh, Yes!*

MR. RUDOLPH CHAPKO, M. S.
Guidance Director
Ushers Club Adviser

MR. ROY COLBERT, B. S.
Drivers Education
Varsity Basketball
Soph. Football
Varsity Track Coach

Cheer up, Miss Kollias! You have only 189 more themes to go.

MISS LAURAYNE CONWAY, B. S.
Girls Physical Education
Pep Club and Cheerleader Adviser

MR. MIKE COPP, B. S.
Civics
Varsity Wrestling
Tennis Coach

MRS. DARRELL DIGGINS, B. ED.
Shorthand II
Typing I, II

MR. DARRELL DIGGINS, B. ED.
Typing
Accounting
Bookstore Manager

MISS ALICE ENTWHISTLE, M. A.
Algebra I
General Math.
Activity Fund Custodian

MR. HAROLD EWALD, B. S.
Drafting
Woodwork

MR. RICHARD FAIRGRIEVES, M. S.
Biology
Soph. Class Adviser

MRS. VIRGIL FORD, B. A.
English I
Jr. Class Adviser

MR. GEORGE GOESER, M. S.
Boys' Physical Education
Soph. Football
Jr. Basketball Coach
B-Club Adviser

# *Laugh?*

MR. ORRIE HALVERSON, B. S.
General Math
Algebra I
Locks and Lockers Manager

Teachers have their cake and eat it too.

MR. CHARLES HARNED, M. M. ED.
Band
Music Appreciation
Tri-M Adviser

MRS. JOSEPH HARRISON, M. A.
Algebra I, IV
Plane Geometry
Solid Geometry

MISS RUTH HELLIGAS, M. S.
American History

MISS MARGERY HINRICHS, M. A.
Librarian
Jr. Class
Library Club Adviser

# *At times*

MRS. JOHN HOVE, B. A.
Biology
Student Council Adviser

MRS. RAY KEELER, B. M. ED.
Chorus
Tri-M Adviser

MR. GEORGE KOKENES, B. A.
American and World History

Teachers "chew up" other things besides students.

MISS BEA KOLLIAS, M. A.
English II

MRS. HELMUT KREMSREITER, B. S.
Art I, II

MISS JEANNE LADELLA, B. A.
World History
History Club Adviser

MISS CAROLINE LARIMORE, B. S.
Girls' Physical Education
G. A. A.
Pep Club Adviser

MR. JOE LEWIS, M. S.
Civics
Physical Education
Varsity Baseball
Intramurals Coach

MR. RALPH McKENNA, M. S.
General Science
Fresh. Basketball
Frosh-Soph Track Coach

# *Complex?*

MR. LOREN MILLS, M. E.
Vocational Agriculture

MR. MIKE MORRIS, B. S.
Physical Education
Varsity Football and Wrestling
Soph. Baseball Coach



MR. RICHARD NELSON, B. S.
Contemporary Literature
Journalism
Bel-Hi News Adviser

MR. STAN PATRICK, B. A.
American History
Varsity Football Coach
National Athletic Honor
Society Adviser

MRS. CARL POLACEK, B. E.
Biology
Student Council Adviser

MRS. FLOYD ROBERTSON, B. S.
English I, II

MRS. RAY STONECIPHER, B. S.
Home Economics
F. H. A. Adviser

MR. RAY STONECIPHER, B. S.
General Math.
Chemistry
Physics
Science Club Adviser

# *Definitely!*

MR. WAYNE STURM, M. S.
General Science

MISS SHIRLEY TOCK, B. S.
Spanish I, II, III
Spanish Club
Belvi Adviser

MR. KENNETH SWAN, B. S.
Drivers Education

MR. JOHN WAGLEY, M. S.
Industrial Arts I
Machine Shop
Golf Coach

MISS VANESSA WERTH, M. A.
Guidance Director

MR. D. J. WITT, M. S.
Agriculture I, IV
F. F. A. Adviser

MISS SHIRLEY WOLFF, B. S.
English I

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# STUDENTS

CLASS OFFICERS: Roger Lamphere, Treasurer; Bill Hetland, Secretary; Jerry Oncken, President; Dick Anderson, Vice-President.

# *Class of '62*

As underclassmen we endeavored to be one of the most outstanding and energetic classes to graduate from B.H.S. Reminiscing over our past four years, we as seniors are proud of our record.

As aggressive freshmen we elected Dick Anderson, president; Sharon Neufer, vice-president; Toni Hoffman, secretary; and Diane Berry, treasurer.

Our candidates, Sharon Brace and Larry Hopperstead, won second place in the Homecoming competition. Our Christmas decoration, which we so diligently constructed, received a second place.

Leading us in our determined sophomore year were Jerry Oncken, president; Neal Frank, vice-president; Karen DeMunn, secretary; and Dick Anderson, treasurer.

Our Homecoming candidates, Judy Cranston and Larry Mason, achieved the honor of second place.

During our successful junior year, we chose to direct us Rick Martin, president; Gary Dorn, vice-president; Dick Anderson, secretary; and Roger Lamphere, treasurer.

The combined efforts of our class proved victorious when our candidates, Jackie Howlett and Rick Martin, reigned over the Homecoming activities, and our Christmas decoration earned second place.

We were headed in our confident senior year by Jerry Oncken, president; Dick Anderson, vice-president; Bill Hetland, secretary; and Roger Lamphere, treasurer. Gary Keator and Pat Summers were crowned King and Queen of the "61" Homecoming. The senior members of the court were Alberta Bucklin, Carole Lord, Tom Reeves, and Dick Anderson. Our float won second place. The success of our senior year was further witnessed when the judges awarded first place to our Christmas decoration.

# *Senior*

REUNION COMMITTEE: S. MacNames, S. Bottcher, C. Lord, L. Hopperstead.

SOCIAL COMMITTEE: P. Munger, N. Frank, R. Schmitt, P. Summers, S. Neufer, K. Morehead.

PLAY COMMITTEE: C. Smith, T. Reeves, S. Koppen, M. Summers. NOT PICTURED: K. Wendell.

MEMORIAL COMMITTEE: R. Martin, J. Howlett, J. Funderburg, P. Greve.

# *Committees*

KATHRYN ABERNATHY "Kathy"
Transferred from Washington High, Vinton, Iowa 2; A Cappella 2-4; French Club 2; G. R. A. 1-2.

RICHARD W. ANDERSON
President 1, Vice-President 4, Secretary 3, Treasurer 2; B Club 2-4; Judge 4; Chorus 1, A Cappella 2-4; Student Council 2-4; Tri M 2-4, Treasurer 4; Football 1-4, Basketball 1-4, Baseball 1-3; Intramural Basketball 1, Track 1-3, Volleyball 3; National Athletic Honor Society 3, 4.

SHARON ANDERSON
Pep Club 1-4; F. N. C. 1-4, President 4, Secretary-Treasurer 3; Chorus 1.

NICKI ATHERTON
G. A. A. 1-4; Pep Club 1-4; F. T. A. 2, 4; Chorus 1-3, A Cappella 4; Tri M 3, 4.

# Seniors

RONALD AVES "Ron"
Pep Club 1-4; F. F. A. 1-4, President 4, Reporter 3; Intramural Football 2.

LARRY BARRINGER

RONALD BECKLEY "Ron"
Student Projectionist 1-4; History Club 3, 4; Science Club 3, 4.

BOB BEHLING "Chip"
Pep Club 2, 4; Football 1-4, Baseball 1-3.

DALE BENDER "Alan"
Pep Club 1-3.

JOYCE L. BENTON "Grandma"
G. A. A. 1-4; Pep Club 1-4, Advisory Board 2-4; Cheerleader 1-4; Girls Volleyball Tournament 1-3; F. N. C. 1-4; Band 1-4.

MARY ELLEN BLAKE "Muno"
G. A. A. 1-4; Pep Club 1-4; Chorus 1, 2.
ROBERT BLAKE "Bob"
B Club 2-4; Pep Club 1-4, Advisory Board 2-4; Chorus 1; Track 1-3, Cross Country 2; Intramural Track 1, 2.

MARY ANN BLODGETT
G. A. A. 1-4; Pep Club 1-4; Girls Volleyball Tournament 2, 3; F. T. A. 1-4.
LEROY BLUM "Lee"
B Club 2-4; Pep Club 1-4; Football 2, 3, Track 1, 2, Cross Country 2.

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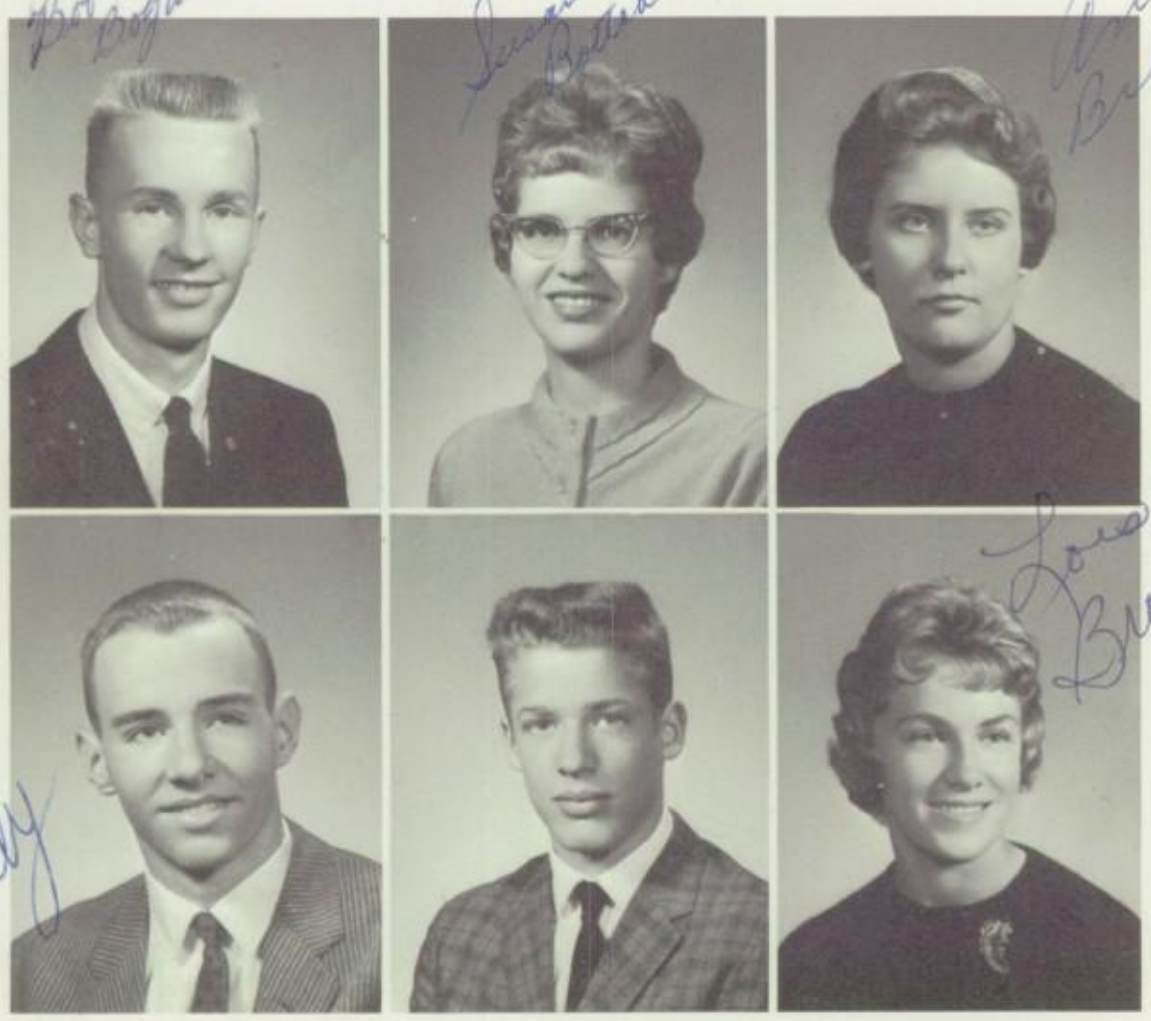


BOB BOGARDUS "Bogie"
B Club 2-4; Pep Club 1-4; Tennis 1, 2, Wrestling 1-3.
SUSAN BOTTCHER "Sue"
Campaign Committee 2, 3, Christmas Committee 2, Reunion Committee 4; G. A. A. 1-4; Pep Club 1-4; F. T. A. 4; Girls Volleyball Tournament 1, 2; A Cappella 2-4; Belvi 4.
ANN BRACH "Broccoli"
Pep Club 1-4; Girls Volleyball Tournament 2-4.

JAN BRADY
Pep Club 2-4; Band 1, 2; Football 2, 4, Basketball 1-3, Track 1, 2; Intramural Track 1, 3, Volleyball 3, Basketball 1.
GARY BRAKER
Pep Club 1; Cross Country 4, Wrestling 1.
LOIS BROWN "Louie"
G.A.A. 1-4, Vice-President 4; Pep Club 1-4, Treasurer 4, Advisory Board 1, 3, 4; Cheerleader 1, 2, 4; F. N. C. 1-4, Treasurer 4; Band 1; Chorus 1, A Cappella 2, 3.

ROGER BRUYN "Bruno"
Science Club 3; Intramural Basketball 2, Volleyball 2, Baseball 3.
ALBERTA BUCKLIN "Bucky"
Campaign Committee 1, Prom Committee 3; G. A. A. 1-4, Executive Board 2-4, Secretary-Treasurer 4, Junior Assistant 3; Pep Club 1-4; F. T. A. 1-4, Vice-President 4; Chorus 1-4; Student Council 2-4; Zvonar Award 3.
PATRICIA BURNS "Pat"
Pep Club 2, 3; Spanish Club 2-4.

THOMAS BUSH "Tom"
Pep Club 1-3; F. F. A. 3, 4.
LAVERNE BUTRAM "Verne"
Pep Club 1; Chorus 1.
MARY CAPROON "Nancy"
Transferred from Mt. Euphrasia High, St. Louis, Missouri 3; G. A. A. 3, 4; F. N. C. 3.

*Seniors greet the new year with*

LINDA CARLSON "Lin"
G. A. A. 1-4; Pep Club 1-4; Girls Volleyball Tournament 1-3; Spanish Club 3.
LLOYD CARLSON "Curly"
B Club 3, 4; Pep Club 1-4; Football 3, 4, Track 1, Wrestling 3, Golf 2; Intramural Football.

DALE CARTER
Transferred from North Boone High, Poplar Grove, Illinois 3; Industrial Arts 4; Football 3.
MARILYN CARTER "Mert"
Transferred from North Boone High, Poplar Grove, Illinois 3; Pep Club 1, 2; Chorus 1, 2; Ushers Club 4.

BILL CLARK "Willy"
Pep Club 1-4; F.F.A. 2-4; Football 1, 2, Wrestling 3; Intramural Football.
DONALD CORRELL "Don"
Pep Club 1; Intramural Volleyball 3; Bel-Hi News Reporter 4, Ad Solicitor 4.
JUDY CRANSTON
G.A.A. 1-4; Pep Club 1-3; F.N.C. 2-4, Historian 4; Cheerleader 1, 2; Girls Volleyball Tournament 3, 4.

CAROL JEAN CRAWFORD
Pep Club 1-4; Chorus 3, 4; Bel-Hi News Reporter, Business Staff 4.
DAN CRAWFORD "Tiger"
Transferred from I B S S S, Jacksonville, Illinois 3; Pep Club 3, 4; F.F.A. 3, 4; Track 1, 2, Cross Country 2, Wrestling 1, 3.
JEAN CROCKER
Pep Club 1-4; F.H.A. 2; Chorus 1-3, A Cappella 4.

## *perennial optimism and resolutions*

BERNARD CRUM "Bernie"
B Club 1-4; Pep Club 1-3; F.F.A. 1-4, President 4; Ushers Club 3, 4; Student Council 1-3; Football 1, 2, Basketball 1-4; Intramural Volleyball.
DANIEL CULVEY "Dan"
Pep Club 1-3; F.F.A. 1-3; Intramural Volleyball, Basketball.

JIM DANIELS
Pep Club 2, 4; Band 1; Student Projectionist 1, 2.
KAREN DEMUNN
Campaign Committee 2; Secretary 2; Pep Club 1-4; F.N.C. 1-4.

KAY DIAMOND
Pep Club 1-4; F. H. A. 1, 4; Chorus 1; Library Assistant 4; Belvi 4.
RON DITTRICK "Dico"
Industrial Arts 2.

GARY DORN "Gar"
Vice-President 3; Prom Committee 3; Christmas Committee 2; B Club 3, 4; Pep Club 1-4; Spanish Club 3, 4, Treasurer 4; Science Club 3, 4; Chorus 1, A Cappella 2-4; Student Council 1, 2; Tri M 3, 4; Golf 1, 4, Basketball 1; Intramural Basketball, Baseball, Football 3, Volleyball; Belvi 4.
MARGIE DOUTHAT "Marg"
Pep Club 1-4; Spanish Club 3, 4; Chorus 1-4.

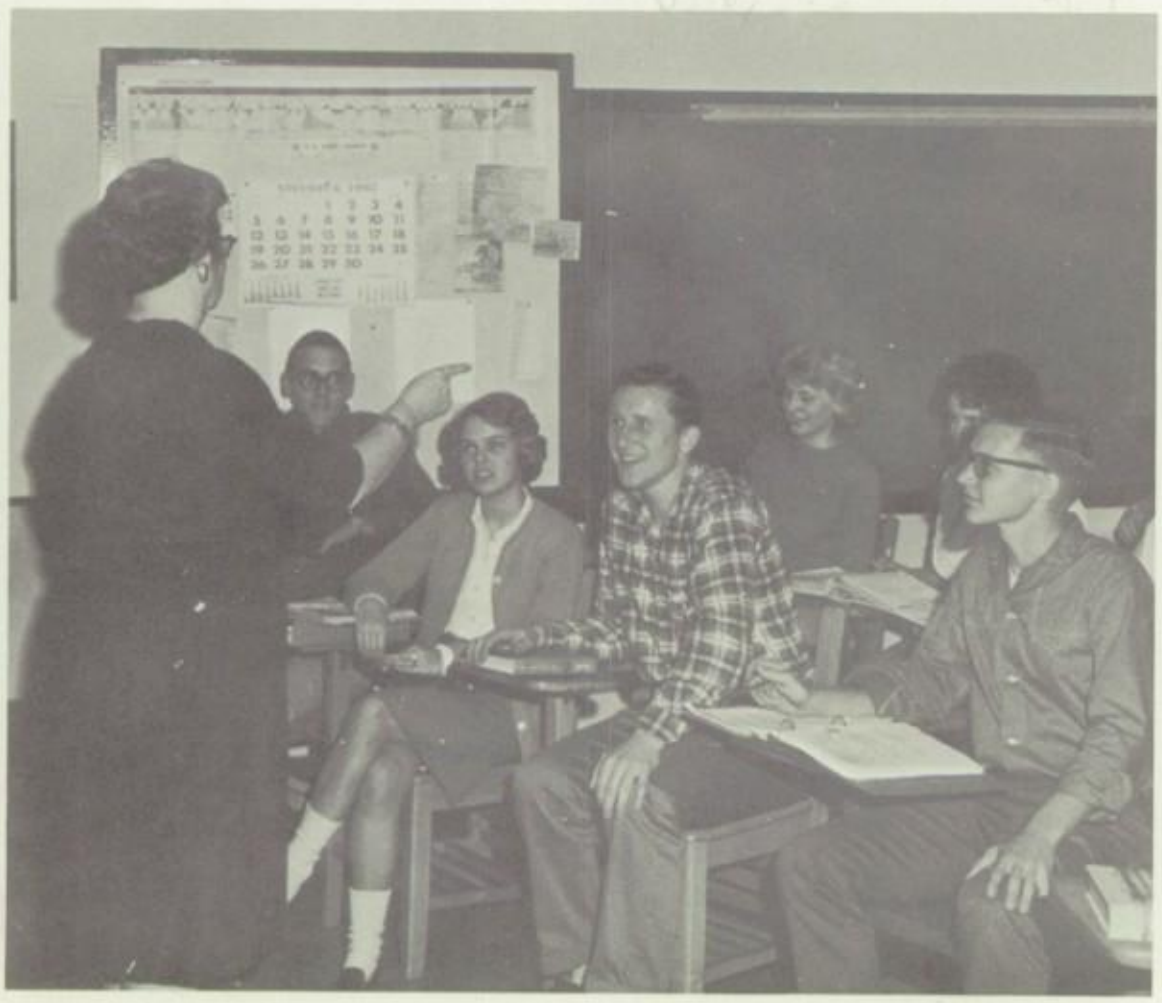
# Seniors

WAYNE DUNBAR
B Club 3, 4; Pep Club 1-4; Band 1-4; Chorus 1; Athletic Manager 1, 2.
BILL DURKEE
Wrestling 1.
AILEEN EDE
G. A. A. 1-4; Pep Club 1-4; Girls Volleyball Tournament 1, 2; F. N. C. 1; Spanish Club 3; Chorus 1-3, A Cappella 4; Bel-Hi News Circulation Manager, Advertising 4.

GLENDA EDMISON
G. A. A. 1-4; Pep Club 1-4; Chorus 1-3; F. N. C. 1, 2.
LESLEY EDMONDS "Les"
G. A. A. 1-4; Pep Club 1-4; F. T. A. 1; F. N. C. 1; Band 1-4; History Club 3.
CHERYL ENGELSEN "Gracie"
Pep Club 1-4; Chorus 3.

SANDRA ENGELSEN "Sandy"
G. A. A. 1-4; Pep Club 1-4; Chorus 1; A Cappella 2-4.
LARRY LEE FAIR
F. F. A. 1-4; Centennial 4; Band 1, 2.

AUDREY FERGUSON "Fergie"
G. A. A. 1-4; Pep Club 1-4, Advisory Board 4; F. N. C. 1-4; Chorus 1.
CAROL LEE FITCH
Transferred from Lincoln Jr. High, Rockford, Illinois 2; G. A. A. 1, 2; F. N. C. 1-3; Chorus 1, 2.



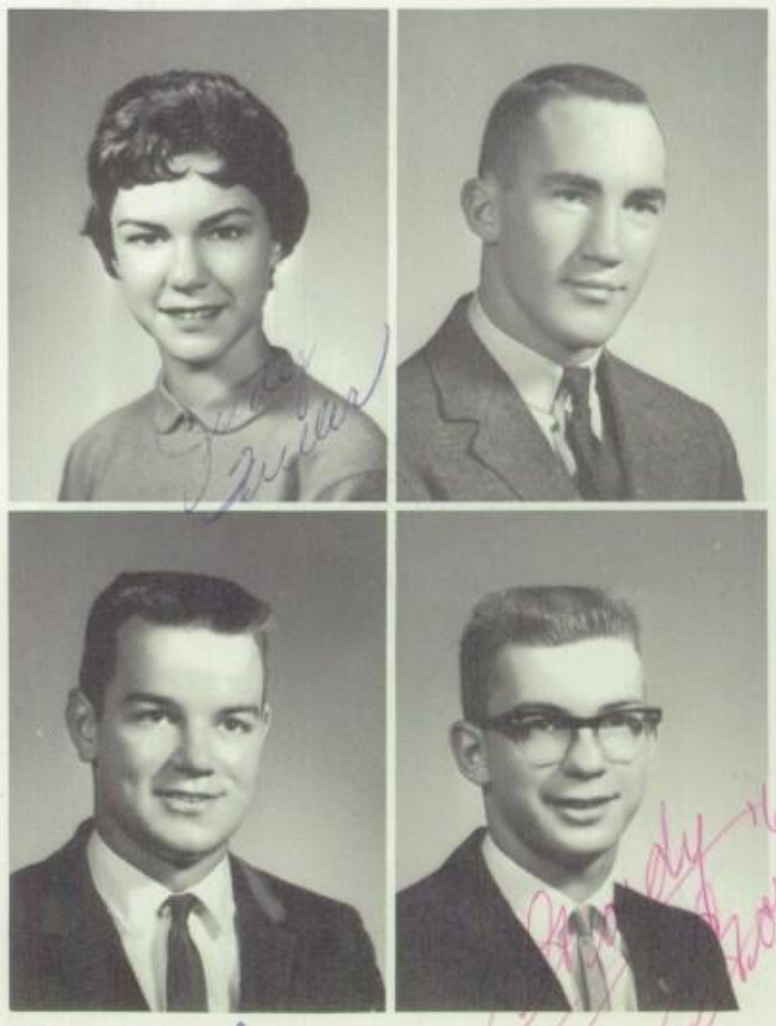
"How many of ya see that, children?"

BARBARA FLOYD "Barb"
G. A. A. 1-3; Pep Club 1-3; Chorus 1.
BOB FORSTER "Yogi"
Transferred from Rochelle High School, Rochelle, Illinois 3; F. F. A. 2-4; Pep Club 2; Football 2; Intramural Wrestling.
NEAL FRANK
Vice -President 2; Social Committee 1, 3, 4, Chairman 3; Campaign Committee 3; Christmas Committee 3; B Club 2-4; Pep Club 1-4; Band 1-4; Chorus 1; Student Council 1-4, Vice-President 4, Treasurer 3; Athletic Manager 1-4.

BARB FRANKLIN
Campaign Committee 3; Christmas Committee 1; G. A. A. 1-4, Executive Board 3; Pep Club 1-4; F. H. A. 3, 4, Secretary 4; Library Assistant 2.
SANDRA FRITZ "Sandy"
G. A. A. 1-4; Pep Club 1, 2; F. N. C. 1-3; Chorus 1, A Cappella 2-4.
JERRY FULLER "Jerhoe"
Pep Club 4; Industrial Arts 3; Student Projectionist 1; Intramural Baseball, Football, Basketball.

JUDITH FULLER "Judy"
G. A. A. 1-4; Pep Club 1-4; Girls Volleyball Tournament 3; F. N. C. 1; Chorus 1.
JACK FUNDERBURG "Fundy"
Campaign Committee 2, 3; Christmas Committee 2, 3; B Club 2-4; Pep Club 1-4; Spanish Club 3, 4; Chorus 1, A Cappella 2, 4; History Club 3, 4; Ushers Club 3, 4; Football 2-4, Baseball 1-3, Wrestling 2-4; Intramural Wrestling 2, 3.

DAVE GORHAM "Butch"
B Club 2; Pep Club 1-4; Chorus 1, 2, A Cappella 2; Football 1-4, Baseball 1.
GORDON GORMAN "Gordy"
Social Committee 1, Chairman 1; Prom Committee 3; Pep Club 1-4, Advisory Board 3; Band 1-4; Chorus 1; Science Club 3, 4; Student Council 2-4; Social Committee 2; Program Committee 4; Tri M 3, 4; Football 1-4; Intramural Basketball 2, 3, Volleyball 3; Belvi 4.



BRUCE GRAY
Pep Club 1-4; F.F.A. 1-4, Vice-President 4, Treasurer 3.
ALICE GREGG "Hank"
Transferred from Harvard High School, Harvard, Illinois 2.
PATRICIA GREVE "Pat"
Transferred from Hampshire High School, Hampshire, Illinois 1; G.A.A. 1-4; Pep Club 2-4; F.H.A. 1; F.T.A. 3; F.N.C. 2-4; Ushers Club 4; Bel-Hi News Reporter 4.

HARVEY GUSTAFSON
SANDRA GUSTELLA "Gus"
G.A.A. 3; Pep Club 1-4; F.T.A. 2-4; Spanish Club 2-4.
JOHN J. HALLSTROM "Burlap"
B Club 2, 4; Pep Club 1-4; Industrial Arts 3, 4; Athletic Manager 3.

## *high among Seniors*

MYRNA HALVERSON
Pep Club 1-3; F.H.A. 4; F.N.C. 1, 2; Chorus 1, 2; Library Assistant 3.
CHARLES HANNA
Pep Club 1-4; Spanish Club 3, 4; Student Projectionist 1-3; Football 2, 3, Golf 1, 2, Wrestling 2-4; Intramural Basketball.

TED HANSEN "Hans"
B Club 4; Chorus 2, A Cappella 2, 4; Wrestling 4; Bel-Hi News Advertising Committee 4.
WILLIAM HARNED "Bill"
Pep Club 1-4; Spanish Club 3, 4; Science Club 3, 4; Track 1; Intramural Football 2; National Honor Society 3, 4.

RICHARD HESHELMAN "Hesh"
B Club 1-4; Pep Club 1-4; Football 1-4, Track 1-4, Wrestling 1-4.
WILLIAM HETLAND "Bill"
Secretary 4; Social Committee 2; Campaign Committee 3; Christmas Committee 3; B Club 1-4; Pep Club 1-4; Band 1-4, Publicity Chairman 4; History Club 3, 4; Athletic Manager 1-3; Bel-Hi News Associate Editor 4.

ROBERT A. HILL "Andy"
Campaign Committee 3; B Club 2-4; Pep Club 1-4; Football 1; Athletic Manager 2-4; Blake Rairden Award 3.
JOHN HOLMQUIST "Homely"
Pep Club 1, 2.

# Seniors

LARRY HOPPERSTEAD "Hoppy"
B Club 1-4; Pep Club 1-4; Band 1-4, Vice-President 3; Student Council 1-4, President 4; Tri M 3, 4; Football 1-3, Basketball 1-3, Track 2, Baseball 1, 3; National Honor Society 3, 4; National Athletic Honor Society 3, 4; Belvi 4.
JACQUELINE HOWLETT "Jackie"
Social Committee 1; Prom Committee 3; G.A.A. 1-4; Pep Club 1-4; F.T.A. 3, 4; Spanish Club 3, 4; Library Assistant 3; Homecoming Queen 3.
KAREN HULSTEDT
G.A.A. 3; Pep Club 2-4; F.H.A. 2-4, President 4, Vice-President 3; Bel-Hi News Advertising 4.

JIM HYDE
B Club 2; Pep Club 1-4; Football 1-4; Intramural Wrestling 3.
JUDITH JOHNSON "Judy"
Transferred from Marengo High, Marengo, Illinois 4; Chorus 4.
JOHN JOHNSTON
Intramural Football 3.

JACQUELINE JURY "Jackie"
G. A. A. 1-4; Pep Club 1-4; Girls Volleyball Tournament 1-3; F. N. C. 1-4; Chorus 1, 2, A Cappella 3, 4; Whing Ding Committee 3.

BILL KARLSON "Curly"
Pep Club 1, 2; Intramural Football 3.

STEPHEN KARP "Steve"
B Club 4; Pep Club 1-3; Band 1-4, Treasurer 4; Spanish Club 3, 4; Chorus 1; Student Council 1; Tennis 1-3; Wrestling 3.

GARY KEATOR "Case"
B Club 1-4; Pep Club 1, 2, 4; Football 1-4, Basketball 1-3, Baseball 1-3; Intramural Volleyball, Track; Homecoming King 4.

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Rule 4, Section 3.

No hazing permitted!

DANIEL KLEBER "Dan"
Pep Club 1-4; Student Projectionist 1-4.
PAUL KLINE
Pep Club 1-4; Chorus 1; History Club 3-4; Bel-Hi News Business Manager 4.
PHILLIP KNOX "Knoxie"
Transferred from North Boone, Poplar Grove, Illinois 1; Pep Club 2-4; Football 1-2.

KENNY KOCH "Ken"
Pep Club 1-4; F.F.A. 1-4; Intramural Volleyball, Baseball, Wrestling, Basketball, Football.
MARCIA KOCH
Pep Club 1-4; F.N.C. 1-4; Chorus 1; Whing Ding Committee 3.
STEPHEN KOPPEN "Steve"
B Club 2-4; Pep Club 1-4; Class Social Committee 1; Football 1-4; Basketball 1; Track 1-3; Intramural Volleyball 3; Baseball 3.

RUTH KURTENBACH "Ruthie"
G.A.A. 1-4; Girls Volleyball Tournament 1-2; F.H.A. 4; Chorus 1; Bel-Hi News Advertising Staff 4.
ELIZABETH KUSS "Betty Jo"
G.A.A. 1-4; Pep Club 1-4; F.T.A. 1-3; Chorus 1-3.

ROGER LAMPHERE "Rog"
Class Treasurer 3-4; B Club 1-4; Pep Club 1-4; Band 1-4, Vice-President 4, Historian 3; Spanish Club 4; Tri M 3-4, Secretary 4; Athletic Manager 1-4; National Athletic Honor Society 3, 4.
JO ANN LAWTON "Jo"
G.A.A. 1-4; Pep Club 1-4; F.T.A. 1-4; Spanish Club 3, 4; Chorus 1-4.

*Midnight oil burns nightly as*

FONDA LINDER
Pep Club 1-4; F. H. A. 4; Chorus 1; Bel-Hi News Advertising Manager 4.
ELAINE LINDQUIST "Ern"
G. A. A. 1-4; Pep Club 1-4; F. T. A. 1; History Club 3.
CAROLE LORD
Campaign Committee 3; Reunion Committee 4; G. A. A. 1-4; Pep Club 1-4, Secretary 4, Advisory Board 2, 3; F. T. A. 1-4; Chorus 1; Student Council 1, 2, 4, Reporter 4; Whing Ding Committee 3; Belvi 4.

DAVID LOVERIDGE "Dave"
Pep Club 1-4.
DOLORES LOVERIDGE "Dode"
G. A. A. 1-3; Pep Club 1, 2.
WILLIAM LOWE "Holc"
Pep Club 1-4; Industrial Arts 2-4; Basketball 1, Golf 1; Intramural Football, Volleyball, Basketball.

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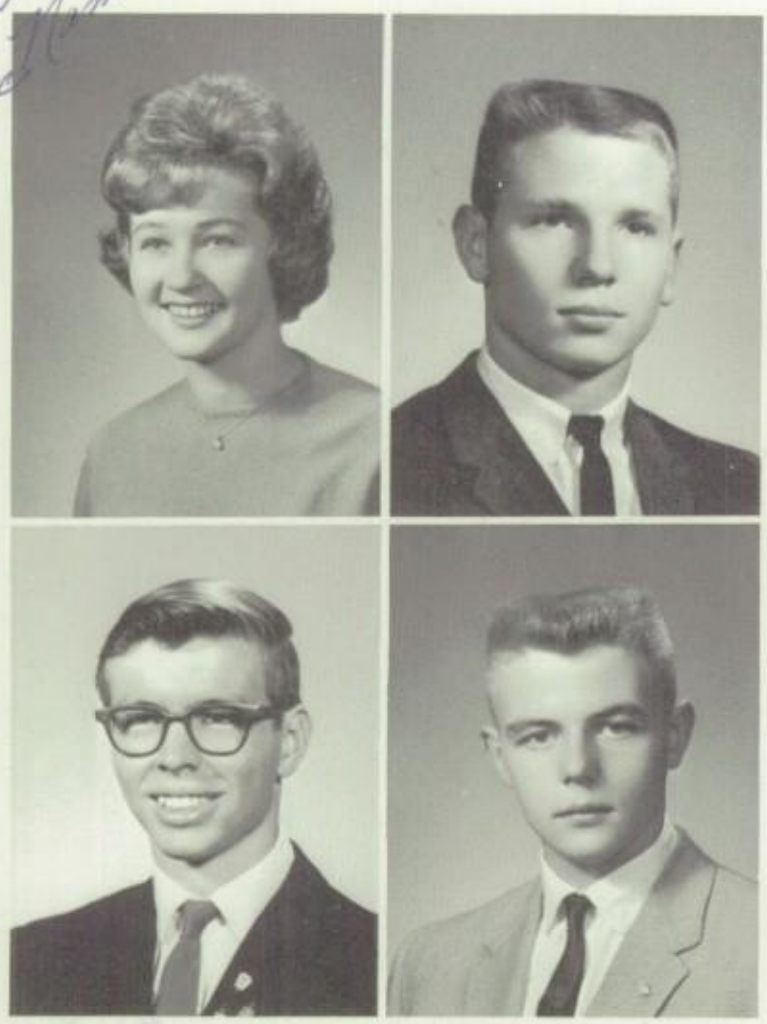
RICHARD LUHMAN "Dick"
Pep Club 1-4; Football 1; Intramural Baseball; Bel-Hi News Advertising Solicitor 3, Advertising Manager 4.
ELIZABETH LYFORD
G. A. A. 1-4; Girls Volleyball Tournament 1-3; Chorus 1.

JIM McCARTNEY
B Club 1-4; Football 1, 2, Basketball 1-4, Baseball 1, Cross Country 4.
JOHN McCOY "Big John"
B Club 4; Pep Club 3; Baseball 1, Wrestling 2; Intramural Wrestling 1, Baseball.



SANDRA MACNAMES "Sandy"
Transferred from Edwardsville High, Edwardsville, Illinois 1; Prom Committee 3; G. A. A. 1-4, Executive Board 3; Pep Club 2-4; Girls Volleyball Tournament 3; F. T. A. 2-4, Secretary 4; Spanish Club 3, 4, Historian 4: Chorus 1, 2; Library Assistant 3.

RICK MANLEY
B Club 4; Pep Club 1-4; Track 1-3, Wrestling 1; Intramural Football, Basketball.

DEAN MARCELLUS
Christmas Committee1; B Club 2, 3; Pep Club 1-4; Spanish Club 3, 4; Science Club 3, 4, President 4; History Club 3, 4, President 3; Football 1-4, Basketball 1, 2; Quill and Scroll 3; National Athletic Honor Society 3; Intramural Track; National Honor Society; Bel-Hi News Reporter, News-Editor.

WILLIAM MARTENS "Bill"
RICK MARTIN "Ricker"
President 3; Social Committee, Campaign Committee 3; B Club 1-4; Pep Club 1-4; Football 1-3, Basketball 1-3, Baseball 1, 2; Homecoming King 3.

LARRY MASON
Pep Club 1-4; B Club 1-4; Football 1-4, Basketball 1-4, Baseball 1-3.

KAREN MATHISON
Pep Club 1, 2; Band 1.

LORRAINE MECKLEY
G. A. A. 1-4; Pep Club 1-3; Girls Volleyball Tournament 1-3; F. N. C. 1-4; Chorus 1, 2.

DAVE MELVIN "Deigo"
Transferred from North Boone High, Poplar Grove, Illinois 1; Pep Club 2; F. F. A. 1-4.

MADELINE MEYERS
G. A. A. 1-4, Executive Board 4; Pep Club 1-4, Advisory 3, 4, Cheerleader 1-4; F. T. A. 1; Student Council 1.

# Seniors

RAYMOND D. MILLER "Denny"
Pep Club 1-4; Spanish Club 1.
KATHY MOAN
Campaign Committee 3; Prom Committee 3; G.A.A. 1-4; Pep Club 1-4, Advisory Board 2-4; Girls Volleyball Tournament 1, 3; F.T.A. 3, 4, Publicity Chairman 4; Spanish Club 3, 4; Chorus 1, A Cappella 2; Bel-Hi News Feature Editor 4.

KAREN MOREHEAD
Social Committee 4; Campaign Committee 3, 4; Christmas Committee 3; G.A.A. 1-4; Pep Club 1-4; F.N.C. 1-4; Chorus 1, 2.
MARJORIE MORRALL "Mousie"
Transferred from North Boone High, Capron, Illinois 1; Pep Club 1-4; Spanish Club 2-4; Chorus 1-3, A Cappella 4.

Seniors take time out to congratulate letter-winners.

EDWIN MORRIS "Ed"
Pep Club 1-4; F.F.A. 1-4; Football 1; Intramural Volleyball; Wrestling; Football.

PAMELA MUNGER "Pam"
Social Committee 4; Campaign Committee 2; G.A.A. 1-4; Pep Club 1-4; F.T.A. 1-4; F.N.C. 2-4, Secretary 3; Band 1; Chorus 1, 2; Library Assistant 3.

ALLAN NELSON
Transferred from Jefferson Jr. High, Rockford, Illinois 2; Intramural Basketball 3.

SHARON NEUFER
Class President 1; G.A.A. 1-4; Pep Club 1-4; F.T.A. 1-4, President 4, Treasurer 3; Chorus 1, A Cappella 2-4; Student Council 1-4, Secretary 4.

MAYNARD NORDMOE "Maynard G"
F.T.A. 2-4; Band 1; Student Projectionist 1-4; Science Club 3, 4; Intramural Football 2.

BONNIE NOTHNAGEL "Bunny"
Transferred from WCHS, Woodstock, Illinois 3; G.A.A. 1-4; Pep Club 1-4; Band Twirler 1-3; Chorus 3.

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RICHARD O'MARA "Rick"
Pep Club 1-4; Baseball 1.

JERRY ONCKEN
Class President 2, 4; Campaign Committee 1-4; Prom Committee 3; Christmas Committee 1; B Club 2, 4; Pep Club 1-4; Band 1, 2; Student Projectionist 1-4, President 2, 3; Student Council 3, 4; Football 1, Basketball 1-3, Track 1-3, Cross Country 2; Intramural Basketball 1; National Honor Society 3, 4; National Athletic Honor Society 3, 4; Boys State 3; Belvi 4, Photographer.

EVERETTE OSGOOD "Butch"
Pep Club 1; Chorus 3, A Cappella 2, 4.

KATHLEEN OSGOOD "Kathy"
Pep Club 1-3; F.H.A. 1-4; Chorus 1.

WILLARD OTTO "Rick"
B Club 4; Football 2, Track 1, Wrestling 1; Intramural Wrestling 2; Bel-Hi News Advertising.
CAROL PALMQUIST
G.A.A. 1-4; Pep Club 1-4, Advisory Board 2; Girls Volleyball Tournament 1; F.N.C. 1-4; Chorus 1-4.
SHARON PARENT "Sap"
Transferred from Carl Hayden, Phoenix, Arizona, 4; G.A.A. 1,2,4; Pep Club 1, 2,4; Girls Volleyball Tournament 2; F.N.C. 1,4; Spanish Club 2.

CHERYL PAULSON "Cheri"
G.A.A. 1-4; Pep Club 1-4; Girls Volleyball Tournament 1,2; Band 1-4; Chorus 1; Tri M 3,4.
CLINTON PEARSON "Clint"
B Club 3; Pep Club 4; Industrial Arts 3; Football 4, Basketball 1, Track 4; Intramural Baseball 1-3, Basketball 1-3.
JOHN PETERS
Chorus 1,3, A Cappella 3.

*practice makes perfect*

MAUREEN PETERSON "Pete"
G.A.A. 1,2; Pep Club 1-3; Chorus 1, A Cappella 2.
MICHAEL PHILLIPS "Mike"
Industrial Arts 1; Band 3; Football 3, Track 3, Wrestling 3.

ALICE PIERCE
Pep Club 1-3; Girls Volleyball Tournament 2.
JUDY PINKSTON "Pinky"
Pep Club 2-4; F.H.A. 2; Chorus 1.

ROBERT PYSZKA "Bob"
Christmas Committee 3; Pep Club 1-4; Science Club 4; Ushers Club 3, 4; Intramural Baseball; Belvi Business Manager 4.
DIANA RAGLAND
Transferred from Casey High, Casey, Illinois 2; G. A. A. 2-4; Girls Volleyball Tournament 2, 3; Chorus 1.

TOM REEVES "Curly"
Prom Committee 3; B Club 2-4, Advisory Board 3; Band 1-4, President 4, Treasurer 3; Chorus 1; Science Club 3, 4, Historian 3; Student Council 1-4; Tri M 2-4, President 4, Secretary 3; Golf 1, Tennis 2, 3; Intramural Basketball, Football, Volleyball, Baseball; National Honor Society 3, 4; National Athletic Honor Society 3, 4; Mantle 3; Belvi Editor 4.
MARILYN REID "Breezy"
G. A. A. 1-4; Pep Club 1-4; F. T. A. 4; Chorus 1, A Cappella 2, 3.

# Seniors

RICHARD RESSLER "Ricky"
Band 1-4.
PENELOPE RHODES "Penny"
G. A. A. 1-4; Pep Club 1-3; Band 1-4; Chorus 1-4, A Cappella 4; Tri M 3, 4.
SHERRIE RIPPENTROP
G. A. A. 1-4; Pep Club 1-3; F. N. C. 1-4.

LINDA ROLLINS "Lin"
G. A. A. 1-4; Pep Club 1-4; Girls Volleyball Tournament 1-3; F. T. A. 1-3; Spanish Club 2-4; Belvi 4.
MARK RUSH "Marcus"
Campaign Committee 2; Christmas Committee 2; Pep Club 3, 4.
WILLIAM RUSH "Bill"
B Club 2-4; Pep Club 1-4; Football 1-4, Basketball 1, Baseball 1; Intramural Wrestling 3.

JON RYDBOM
Industrial Arts 1, 2; Baseball 1; Intramural Baseball 3, Volleyball 3.
GORDON SALLEY
Band 1, 2; F. F. A. 1-3.

GRACE SCHAFMAN
G. A. A. 1-4, Executive Board 4; Pep Club 1-4; F. N. C. 1-4, Vice-President 4, Historian 3; Chorus 1, 2, A Cappella 3.
DAVID SCHILTZ "Dave"
B Club 3, 4; Pep Club 1-4; Science Club 3; Golf 2, 3, Cross Country 4.

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RANDALL SCHMITT "Randy"
Class Social Committee 4; Campaign Committee 3, 4; Prom Committee 3; Christmas Committee 4; B Club 2; Band 1; Chorus 1, A Cappella 2-4; History Club 3; Ushers Club 4; Student Council 2-4; Basketball 1-3, Golf 2, Cross Country 2, Athletic Manager 1.
NOAH SEARS
F. F. A. 1; Industrial Arts 1, 2.
MERRY SELLERS
F. N. C. 1; Spanish Club 3; Chorus 1, 2.

RONALD SHOOK "Ron"
Pep Club 1-4; Wrestling 3, 4.
SHIRLEY SIETMAN "Siets"
Campaign Committee 3; G. A. A. 1-4; Pep Club 1-4; Girls Volleyball Tournament 1, 2; F. N. C. 1-4; Chorus 1, 2, A Cappella 3, 4; History Club 3.
JOHN SIPPEL "Jack"
Pep Club 1-4; Band 1; Science Club 3.

CHERI SMITH
Play Committee 4; Pep Club 1-4, Advisory Board 4; F. T. A. 2-4, Historian 4; F. N. C. 1, 4; Chorus 1, A Cappella 2-4; G. A. A. 1-4, Executive Board 2-4.
MARVIN SMITH
F. F. A. 1-4.
STEVEN SMITH
Transferred from Dixon High, Dixon, Illinois 3; Pep Club 4; Chorus 1-3, A Cappella 4; Student Council 3; Football 1-4, Basketball 1-3, Track 1, 2.

LYLE SNYDER
Industrial Arts 1-4; Track 3, Football 3, Basketball 3.
RICHARD STEGEMANN "Dick"
Pep Club 3, 4; Tennis 1, 2; Intramural Basketball 1, Football 3.
CONNIE STEVENS
G. A. A. 1-4; Pep Club 1-4; F. H. A. 2; Spanish Club 3, 4; Chorus 1; History Club 3, 4, President 3.

*With end of high school years*

CAROL STRANDBURG
G. A. A. 2-4; Pep Club 1-4; Spanish Club 3, 4; Chorus 1-4; Girls State 3.
DELORES STREICH "Stritch"
Social Committee 2; Campaign Committee 2; G. A. A. 1-4; Pep Club 1-4; Girls Volleyball Tournament 1-3; F. H. A. 1; F. T. A. 1; F. N. C. 3, 4; Chorus 1, A Cappella 2-4.

GEORGE STUART "Skip"
B Club 3, 4; Pep Club 1-4; Science Club 3, 4, Vice-President 3; Ushers Club 3; Intramural Football 2; Athletic Manager 3, 4.
MARCIA SUMMERS "Mart"
Play Committee 4; G. A. A. 1-4; Pep Club 1-4; F. T. A. 1-3; F. N. C. 1-3; Chorus 1, 2.

PAT SUMMERS
Class Social Committee 4; Campaign Committee 3; G. A. A. 1-4, Executive Board 2, President 4; Pep Club 1-4, President 4, Secretary 2; F. T. A. 1-4; Spanish Club 2-4, Secretary 2, 3; Chorus 1, A Cappella 2; Christmas Committee 3, 4; Library Assistant 3.

DANIEL SWANSON
B Club 4; Pep Club 1, 2; Industrial Arts 1, 2; Chorus 1, 2; Football 2, Track 4.

R. CLARK TAFT
Pep Club 1-4.

KATHY TAYLOR
Campaign Committee 3; G. A. A. 1-4; Pep Club 1-4; Girls Volleyball Tournament 1-3; Chorus 1, A Cappella 2-4.

NANCY TAYLOR
G. A. A. 1-4; Pep Club 1-4; Girls Volleyball Tournament 1-3; F. H. A. 4; F. T. A. 2; Chorus 1-3, A Cappella 4; History Club 3.

TERRY TAYLOR
Pep Club 1-4; Band 1, 2; Football 1, Track 2, Baseball 1; Intramural Baseball, Football, Basketball.

# *graduates face broad outside world*

MARSHA TEEPLE
G. A. A. 1-4, Executive Board 2; Pep Club 1-4; Girls Volleyball Tournament 3; F. T. A. 1-4; Chorus 1-3; Spanish Club 3, 4; Student Council 1.

NANCY THOMPSON
Transferred from North Boone, Poplar Grove, Illinois 3; Pep Club 1; Spanish Club 4; Chorus 1, 2.

TOM TOWNS
Pep Club 1-4; Football 1, Tennis 1, 2, Cross Country 2.

JIM VIVIAN

TOM VON HEIMBURG
Pep Club 1-4; Spanish Club 2-4, Vice-President 4, Treasurer 3; Chorus 1, A Cappella 2, 3; Tennis 1-4; Intramural Football 3, Basketball 3, Volleyball 3.
ROBERT WALBERG "Bob"
B Club 2; F.F.A. 1-4; Reporter 4; Band 1; Chorus 1, A Cappella 2; Student Projectionist 1-4, Vice-President 3; Wrestling 2, 3; Intramural Baseball 3.

JUDY KAYE WALLEY
G.A.A. 1-4; Pep Club 1-4; F.T.A. 3, 4; Chorus 1.
LINDA WALTERS "Lin"
Christmas Committee 2; G.A.A. 1-4, Executive Board 3; Pep Club 1-4; Girls Volleyball Tournament 2, 3; F.T.A. 2, 3; Chorus 1, 3, A Cappella 2, 4; History Club 3.

# Seniors

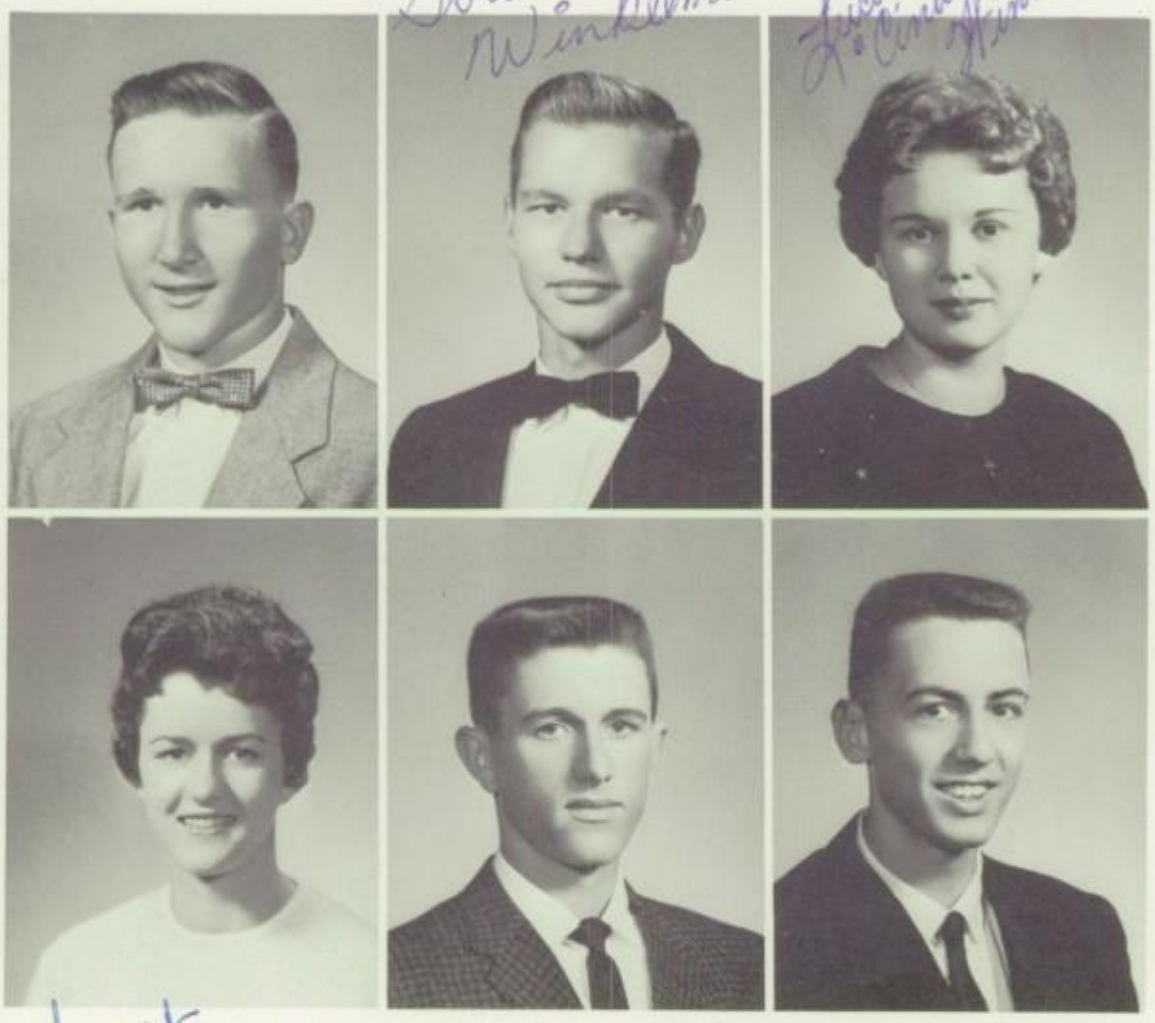
ANITA WASCHER "Nita"
G.A.A. 1-4; Pep Club 1-4; Cheerleader 1, 2; Girls Volleyball Tournament 1-4; History Club 3.
MARY ANN WASER
Pep Club 1, 4.
KATHLEEN WEBB "Kathy"
Prom Committee 3; G.A.A. 1-4, Executive Board 3; Pep Club 1-4, Advisory Board 4; F.T.A. 2-4; History Club 3; Ushers Club 3, 4; Bel-Hi News Art Editor 4.

WILLIAM WELCH "Bill"
Pep Club 1-4; Band 1-4; Chorus 1, A Cappella 2-4; Science Club 3, 4; Science Club 3; Tri M 3, 4.
W. JAMES WELIN "Jim"
Pep Club 1-4; Band 1; Student Projectionist 1, 2; Ushers Club 4.
KAREN WENDELL
Play Committee 4; G.A.A. 1-4, Executive Board 3; Pep Club 1-4, Advisory Board 4; Girls Volleyball Tournament 3; F.T.A. 2-4; F.N.C. 3, 4; Chorus 1, A Cappella 3, 4; Ushers Club 4; Bel-Hi News typist 4.

JUNE WEST
Pep Club 1, 2, 4; F. H. A. 2; History Club 3.
CHARLES WHEELER
Pep Club 1-4; F. F. A. 2-4; Band 1-3; Football 2; Intramural Baseball.

GARY WHEELER "Wheels"
B Club 1-4; Pep Club 1-4; Chorus 4, A Cappella 4; Football 1, 2, 4, Basketball 1-3, Baseball 1-3.
DAVE WICK
B Club 2-4; Pep Club 1-2; Chorus 1-2, A Cappella 2-4; Football 1-4, Track 2-3, Wrestling 1-3.






JOE WIDHALM "Jose"
Pep Club 1-4; Science Club 3-4; Football 4; Intramural Football.
GORDON WINKELMAN "Wink"
Christmas Committee 2; Pep Club 1-4; Band 1-4; Spanish Club 3-4, President 4; Science Club 3-4; Tri M 3-4; Football 1, Tennis 1-3; Belvi 4.
LUCINDA WINN "Cindy"
Transferred from South Side Junior High, Sheboygan, Wisconsin 2; G. A. A. 1; Pep Club 1; A Cappella 3-4; History Club 2; Quill and Scroll 3-4; Bel-Hi News Page 4, Feature Editor 3; Editor-in-Chief 4.

JANET WINTER
G. A. A. 3-4; Pep Club 1-4; Chorus 1-2; Library Assistant 3.

STEVEN WINTER
F. F. A. 1-2; Intramural Volleyball 2.
ROBERT WITMER "Wally"
Pep Club 1-4; Basketball 1-2; Intramural Football 2-3.

Looking back on our three years at B.H.S., we see ourselves first as freshmen, stepping off on the right foot and taking part in many new activities. The first big event of the year was the annual fall election. We elected officers Dean Conlin, Ron Wait, Bob Mullins, and Dick Henderson along with nine student council representatives to head our class. Marcia McCartney and Steve Clogston were our candidates for Homecoming honors. We chose the theme "Put Christ Back in Christmas" for our Christmas display.

During our successful sophomore year, we elected Steve Clogston as president, with Ron Wait, Bob Mullins, and Dick Ferguson assisting him. Janet Strawn and Ron Wait were our Homecoming candidates. Our Christmas display, "And They Came Bearing Gifts," was the first place winner.

CLASS OFFICERS: Dick Ferguson, Vice-President; Ron Wait, President; Steve Clogston, Treasurer; Bob Mullins, Secretary.

CHRISTMAS COMMITTEE: P. Tobin, C. Ashley, Co-Chairman; F. Mattson, K. Krieger, J. Lear, D. Dague, Co-Chairman; T. Wasson, P. White, H. Wichner

# *Juniors*

Upperclassmen at last!! Ron Wait was elected to head our most successful year to date with Dick Ferguson, Bob Mullins, and Steve Clogston to aid him. In October we took part in the Illinois statewide testing program to find out how we ranked with other juniors in the state. For Homecoming we chose Nancy Helsdon and John Grubb to represent our class in the royal court. Much to our satisfaction our float, "Victory Overboard," was awarded first place in the float contest. Our Christmas display, which won second place, was "There Was No Room in the Inn." Throughout the year our candy girls sold paper and candy before and after school to earn money for the Prom, our first big dance.

HOMECOMING COMMITTEE: T. Countryman, J. Grubb, L. Munger, L. Shattuck, J. Hill, D. Marcellus, C. Pollock, J. Woods, Co-Chairman; S. Johannes, Co-Chairman; M. McCartney.

Gary Ackerman

Gary Addams

Larry Ainsworth

Carole Ashley

Delmar Baer

William Bailey

Helen Barney

Karen Bates

David Beasley

Ruth Behnke

LeAnne Berg

Kaye Berman

Barbara Bianchi

Joyce Billy

Allen Blair

Bruce Blatchford

Kaye Boyle

Sherry Braun

Dave Brock

Arnold Brunner

William Bruyn

Roy Buck

Herb Bunger

Joan Burger

Robert Carter

Steve Carter

Steve Cash

Larry Chamberlain

Joy Charlesworth

Warren Clausing

Steve Clogston

Phil Conard

Dean Conlin

Marcia Conwell

Jeanne Cornwell

Kenneth Coulter

Terry Countryman
Allan Crawford
Tim Crawford
Lon Evans

Bonnie Cullison
Mark Curtis
Diane Dague
Dick Ferguson

Judy Darley
Rick Davis
Barry DeWane
Judy Finnestad

Doreen Duffy
Sandra Ehlen
Marilyn Eickstedt

# *Juniors*

Pat Firkins
Noel Goranson
Dick Henderson
Robert Fitzgerald
Judy Graham
Melaney Hermanson
Lonnie Freek
John Grubb
Kenneth Hicks
Paul Frykholm
Sally Gustavison
Jim Hill
Stephen Galleno
Jerry Hage
Lester Hill
Pat Glass
Susan Hart
Mike Hohm
Helen Glazer
Nancy Helsdon
Ann Holroyd
Russ Goetz
Larry Hemmens
Bonnie Huistedt

PROM COMMITTEE: D. Henderson, S. Eickstedt, N. Helsdon, D. Wait, A. Schiltz, D. Conlin, J. Strawn, R. Shuckhart, Co-Chairman; F. Stienecker, B. Lewis, Co-Chairman.

Judy Humphry



Roger Hyde



Dave Jacobson

Sally Johannes



Jean Johnson



Ed Jones

Donna Kaiser



Hubert Kays



John Keating

Carol Keeler



Sharon Kelley



Janet Kidder

Jim Knapp

Betty Lewis

Jim Mac Names

Jim Kobernus

Bruce Libke

Connie Mains

Bonnie Koch

Sue Lindquist

Mike Maloney

Karen Krieger

Bill Lowe

Darcie Marcellus

Janet Lamont

John Lowery

Marion Foster

Mary Luetkenhaus

Jim Lear

John Lear

Sally Lunsford

Rose Mead

Sherry Lear

Marcia McCartney

Tom Meyers

Joyce Miller
Julie Morey
Lynda Morovic

Marsha Morris
Bob Mullins
Lance Munger

Bob Munrow
Don Nelson
Dan Nihan

Sue Nordmeyer
Brenda Norton
John Null

Roger Oldejans

Larry Osterberg

# *Juniors*

Dennis Palka
Gary Potter
Connie Schwebke

Linda Paris
Carol Renninger
Dale Schwebke

Sharon Paul
Ruth Rhoda
Karen Schwebke

Bill Pedersen
Dale Rhode
Randy Sellers

Jeanne Perkins
Karen Rogner
Kathy Seymour

Tom Peterson
Joanne St. John
Lee Shattuck

Charles Petit
Anne Schiltz
Robert Shuckhart

Carol Pollock
Edwin Schmitt
Gerald Smith

SOCIAL COMMITTEE: J. Morey, Co-Chairman; B. Cullison, L. Morovic, S. Gustavison, K. Berman, S. Ehlen, M. Conwell, Co-Chairman; J. Perkins, R. Goetz.

Glenn Smith
Leanna Smith
Paul Smith

Sheri Smith
Paul Stauffer
Lynne Stenerson

Fritzi Stienecker
Margie Stone
Janet Strawn

Carol Stupfell
Alicia Sturm
Peggy Sullivan

Paul Swanlund
Dean Wait
Pat White

Paul Tobin
Ron Wait
Herta Wichner

Linda Treadway
Jane Walls
Joy Woods

Norma Uting
Valerie Ward
Patricia Woosley

Jim Vandercoy
Bill Wascher
Donna Wych

Dixie Van Fleet
Tom Wasson
Sharon Yakey

John Vowels
Mike Whalen
Connie Yerk

Mary Waalewyn
Donna White
Roger Yurs

OFFICERS: J. Schwebke, Treasurer; J. Thornton, President; J. Howlett, Secretary; K. DeMunn, Vice-President.

As "upper underclassmen," we started our second year at B.H.S. by electing John Thornton as president, Kristine DeMunn as vice-president, Jill Howlett as secretary, and Judy Schwebke as treasurer. Jill Howlett and John Thornton were chosen as the sophomore representatives in the royal court for Homecoming. For our part in the float contest, our entry showed how our team planned to "Sink the Vikings." We effectively decorated the study hall stage to the theme "Silent Night" in the Christmas display contest.

This year we had more privileges than ever before. Our basketball and football teams had the right to play in the preliminaries before varsity action. In the spring many of us took the National Education Development Test.

# *Sophomores*

CHRISTMAS COMMITTEE, FIRST ROW: J. Lindaas, S. Wright, D. Nelson. SECOND ROW: B. McLean, M. Swanson. THIRD ROW: R. Martin, D. Edwards, S. Steinke.

HOSPITALITY COMMITTEE: S. Carlson, K. Nesbitt, D Weld.

# *Class of '64*

Esther Adamson
Margaret Adamson
Marilyn Alms

Norinne Anderso
Linda Ashens
Lola Baarstad

Carol Bailey
Stanley Barnes
Bev Bartell

Bill Bates
Carol Bender
Marsh Bender
David Bennett
Joan Benson

Audrey Berg
Robert Berg
Francine Blunt
Marilyn Blunt
Jim Boardman
Melody Boettcher
Richard Bogardus

Lynda Brach
Anita Bremer
Karon Brown
Sherrie Brown
Bill Brunschon
Karen Bucklin
Mike Burcum

Larry Burritt
Vicki Buse
Terry Bush
Donna Butler
Curt Carlson
Gary Carlson
Leonard Carlson

Sue Carlson
Vicki Carlson
Dan Chamberlain
Mike Chamberlin
Robert Churchill
Stephen Coleman
Carol Coon

Bill Cooper
Dianne Cooper
Kathy Cooper
Bill Cowger
John Craig
Alice Crawford
Sally Crone

Kenneth Crull
Bonnie Crum
Barbara Cullison

Jack Darby
Roberta Daring
Kristine DeMunn

Clinton DeWitt
Donald Dittbenner
Tom Dixon
Douglas Drake

Dona Eckhardt
Dean Edwards
Charles Eicksteadt
David Ellis

Jack Engelsen
Mary Engelsen
Ken Evans
Ed Fitch
Thomas Fluehr
Larry Frank
Luanne Franke

Samuel Franks
Linda Froehlich
Edward Gahlbeck
Joyce Gahlbeck
Ted Gahlbeck
Gary Gamlin
Kelly Garrigan

Sally Garrigan
Jim George
Karen Gierke
Kay Gillette
Robert Glaser
Kenneth Griffis
Christine Gustafson

Thomas Halek
Jerry Hall
Mary Hall
Cheryl Hansen
Wayne Hansen
Robert Hardy
Ron Harling

Sandy Hendrickson
Robert Henneberry
Gerald Heshelman
Linda Hill
Sherry Hines
Larry Holmquist
Don Hove

HOMECOMING COMMITTEE:
S. Brown, C Hansen, K
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# Class of '65

OFFICERS: S. Hanna, Treasurer; S. Coleman, Secretary; T. Chamberlain, President; T. Teeple, Vice-President.

Upon entering Belvidere High School, we were a little wary of the events to come. Not knowing quite what to expect, we were often the victims of upperclassmen's pranks. The first big event for us was the fall elections, when we elected our class officers. Tom Chamberlain was chosen president; Terry Teeple, vice president; Suzy Coleman, secretary; and Sharyn Hanna, treasurer. Because we were the biggest class in B.H.S., we had the privilege of electing the most representatives to Student Council. Sharon Keating and Max Kirsche represented our class during Homecoming week-end. Our Homecoming float depicted Belvidere beating Geneva. It consisted of a huge whale swallowing some unwary fish. "Peace on Earth" was the theme of our Christmas display in the main hall.

Philip Abel
Beth Adamson
Daniel Adamson
Eleanor Alexander
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Rodney Anderson
Ron Anderson
Leonis Baer
Carol Balentine
Delores Barefield

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Cleaner, brighter, whiter . . .

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Jerry Grubb

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Linda Kite
Calvin Kleveland

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Roger Klinefelter
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Vicki Mann
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Nancy Marshallsay
Myra Martin
Richard Mason

Jacqueline Matheson
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Mary Maxwell
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Linda Menge
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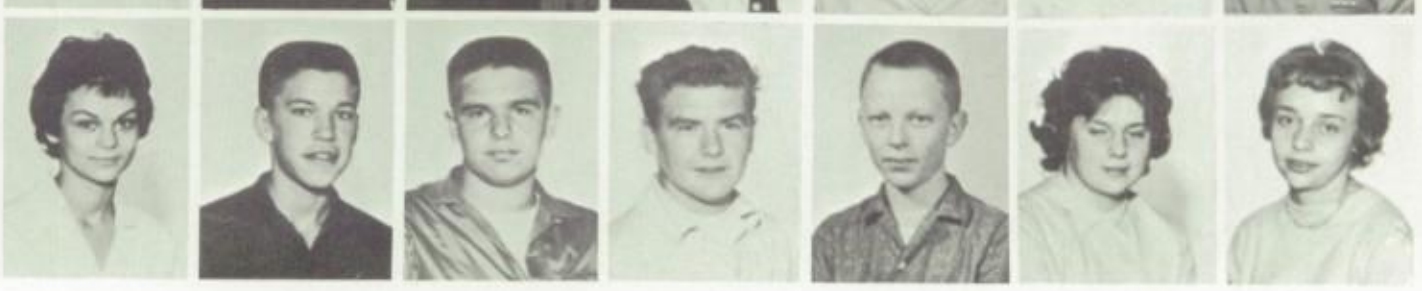

# Freshmen

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Sherry Osterberg

Molly Owens
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Cheryl Palmquist
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Gloria Park

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Sharon Pease
Dennis Peaslee
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Robert Peters

Gayle Peterson
Sherry Peterson
James Pettygrove
Judy Philips
James Pierce
Jimmy Pinkston
Gary Pluff

Mike Plumley
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Russell Pond
Lynell Powers
Mary Prather
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Leslie Reid
Arthur Reser
Linda Reser
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Cheryl Richerson
James Rogner

Cynthia Rollins
Joanna Root
Sharon Rosenow
Linda Rowoldt
Ray Ruehl
Daniel Rundell
Linda Runion

June Rush
Linda Scheibly
Brian Schmitt
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Joyce Schwebke
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# HONORS

TOM REEVES
Valedictorian

LARRY HOPPERSTEAD
Salutatorian

# Honor to Whom honor

The honor of being valedictorian is awarded to the senior who has earned the highest grade average for his four years in high school. This honor is an acknowledgment of the student's perseverance and diligence. The valedictorian presents the farewell address on Class Night.

The honor of being salutatorian is awarded to the graduating student who has earned the second highest grade average for his four years in high school. This student represents a high degree of academic endeavor. The salutatorian presents the welcoming address on Class Night.

Since 1906 the Mantle has been presented to a junior who is selected by the faculty on the basis of scholarship, service, character, and leadership. This honor is presented on Class Night.

The class of '62 is proud of Tom Reeves, who has demonstrated the essential qualities of the recipient of the Mantle. He has been active on committees and in various organizations, participated in intramural and interscholastic sports, and chosen to be a member of National Honor Society and National Athletic Honor Society.

TOM REEVES: Mantle recipient

# Honors

ALBERTA BUCKLIN
Zvonar Memorial-D. A. R.

LARRY HOPPERSTEAD
Boys State

## Girls and Boys State

Scholarship, honor, courage, leadership, and service are the ingredients needed to attend Girls and Boys State. This year the American Legion and the Auxiliary of Boone County, Post No. 77, sponsored Carol Strandberg, Jerry Oncken, and Larry Hopperstead. These three students received one of the highest honors and took part in one of the greatest experiences granted to any junior.

## Zvonar Memorial

Last spring at the annual G.A.A. Mother-Daughter Banquet, the Rosemary Zvonar Memorial was presented to Alberta Bucklin. Members of the organization elected Alberta, basing their choice on sportsmanship, personality, and service. After keeping the award for a year, Alberta will present the honor to an outstanding junior of the next class.

## D.A.R. - S.A.R.

Each year the Daughters of the American Revolution and the Sons of the American Revolution present an award to a senior girl and a senior boy. This year's winners, Alberta Bucklin and Jerry Oncken, were elected by the students and faculty for their outstanding qualities of dependability, service, patriotism, character, leadership, and scholarship.

JERRY ONCKEN
Boys State-S. A. R.

CAROL STRANDBERG
Girls State

NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY, FRONT ROW: D. Marcellus, J. Widhalm, S. Karp, J. McCartney, J. Brady. SECOND ROW: K. Wendell, K. DeMunn, P. Munger, S. Neufer, B. Franklin, C. Engelson, S. Bottcher, G. Winkelman. THIRD ROW: G. Stuart, D. Anderson, B. Harned, J. Oncken, L. Hopperstead, D. Schiltz, T. Reeves, G. Gorman, R. Lamphere.

# Superior Performances

## National Honor Society

Quill and Scroll is an international honorary journalism society with its members selected for their work on one of the school publications. The juniors and seniors chosen must rank in the upper third of their class.

## Quill and Scroll

National Honor Society membership is limited to juniors and seniors, and members are chosen by the faculty on the basis of leadership, character, scholarship, and service. All members must rank in the upper quarter of their class.

NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY, FRONT ROW: S. Johannes, C. Keeler, D. Marcellus, J. Walls, J. Burger. SECOND ROW: D. Wait, R. Shuckhart, R. Wait, L. Munger, D. Conlin, R. Ferguson.

QUILL AND SCROLL, FIRST ROW: G. Winkelman, K. Webb, C. Winn, A. Holroyd, S. Bottcher. SECOND ROW: T. Reeves, J. Oncken, L. Hopperstead, P. Greve. NOT PICTURED: L. Rollins, D. Marcellus.

ATHLETIC HONOR SOCIETY, FIRST ROW: J. Grubb, R. Shuckhart, G. Dorn, T. Hansen, N. Frank, G. Keator, D. Wait. SECOND ROW: R. Lamphere, D. Marcellus, G. Stuart, R. Heshelman, J. McCartney, W. Hetland, S. Karp. THIRD ROW: J. Widhalm, J. Brady, D. Anderson, J. Hyde, L. Munger, J. Oncken, L. Hopperstead, T. Reeves, R. Blake, P. Tobin, F. Mattson. NOT PICTURED: B. Crum, G. Gorman, G. Wheeler.

# Merit Recognition

## Athletic Honor Society

The National Athletic Honor Society is chosen from junior and senior boys who have earned a varsity letter and maintained an academic average equal to or higher than the school average for three consecutive semesters.

## Modern Music Masters

The Modern Music Masters is a national honor society whose membership is based on leadership, character, service, and cooperation. The student must be at least a sophomore and have a "B" average in music and a "C" average academically.

TRI M, FIRST ROW: R. Lamphere, R. Shuckhart, G. Dorn, J. Walls, D. Dague, P. Rhodes, C. Keeler, G. Winkelman. SECOND ROW: J. Burger, D. Conlin, S. Bottcher, W. Welch, T. Reeves, L. Hopperstead, D. Anderson, V. Atherton, C. Paulson.

TRI M, FIRST ROW: K. Rogner, S. Sietman, C. Winn, S. Lear, S. Lear, K. Bates, S. Engelson. SECOND ROW: K. Abernathy, J. Lear, J. Funderburg, L. Munger, P. Tobin, J. Finnestad, B. Cowger.

TRI M, FIRST ROW: G. Kaiser, J. Miller, S. Smith, M. McCartney, B. Koch, S. Clogston. SECOND ROW: D. Paulson, S. Karp, R. Ressler, W. Hetland, P. Swanlund, N. Frank.

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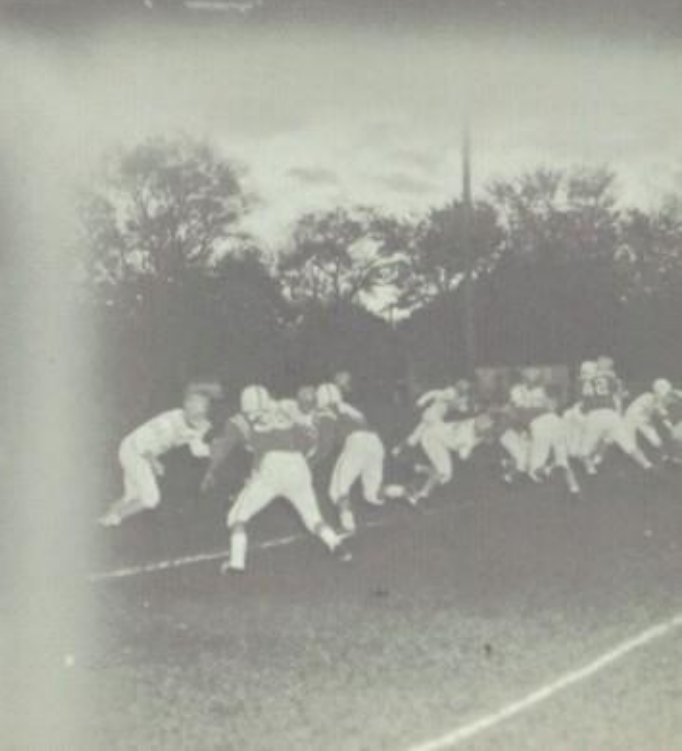
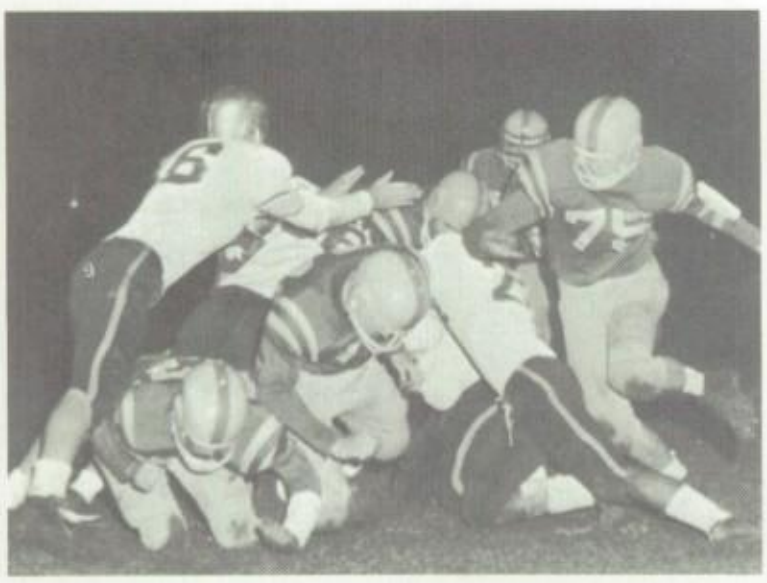


# ATHLETICS

## 1961 Record

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Bucs | 19 | Carl Sandburg | 20 |
| Bucs | 38 | Mooseheart | 13 |
| Bucs | 18 | Batavia | 6 |
| Bucs | 27 | West Chicago | 27 |
| Bucs | 13 | Geneva | 14 |
| Bucs | 13 | Sycamore | 21 |
| Bucs | 39 | St. Charles | 26 |
| Bucs | 0 | Naperville | 33 |

Buc "Bulldogger" does his job.



Irresistible force vs. immovable object.

FIRST ROW: J. Hage, J. Funderburg, S. Koppen, J. Widhalm, C. Pearson, S. Clogston. SECOND ROW: J. Grubb, S. Carter, L. Munger, D. Anderson, L. Osterberg, D. Wick, J. Smith, B. Lowe. THIRD ROW: D. Gorham, G. Gorman, S. Cash, G. Wheeler, J. Brady, G.

# Varsity

The "Battling Bucs" fought their way through a season characterized by intermittent joy and disappointment. The varsity's record of 3 wins, 4 losses, and 1 tie is deceiving, however, since two of the losses were by only 1 point.

The Bucs fought hard but lost out 20-19 to Carl Sandburg, a tough, suburban Chicago team. The second game was a breeze as Mooseheart left town on the short end of a 38-13 score. The Bucs then traveled to Batavia to hand the Bulldogs a convincing 18-6 Homecoming defeat. The next week's game at West Chicago ended in utter frustration with the "Battling Bucs" on the 6 inch line. The score ended in a 27-27 tie. Returning home for the annual Homecoming battle, the Bucs met a similar fate as the Geneva Vikings defeated the Bucs 14-13 to avenge a one-point defeat dealt them by Belvidere in 1960. Sycamore, the team Coach Patrick's crew had been pointing for all year,

Addams, D. Marcellus, R. Shuckhart. FOURTH ROW: G. Keator, B. Mullins, J. Hove, R. Heshelman, S. Smith, R. Sellers, F. Mattson, R. Behling, J. Hyde, L. Mason. NOT PICTURED: W. Rush.

## Conference Standing

| | W | L | T |
|---|---|---|---|
| Sycamore | 7 | 0 | |
| Naperville | 6 | 1 | |
| West Chicago | 4 | 2 | 1 |
| BELVIDERE | 3 | 3 | 1 |
| Geneva | 3 | 4 | |
| Batavia | 3 | 4 | |
| St. Charles | 1 | 6 | |
| Mooseheart | 0 | 7 | |

# Football

proved their mettle as they fought back from a 13-0 deficit to make the Bucs their 31st straight victim, 21-13. It was one of the bitterest and hardest-fought battles seen on Sycamore's home field in a long time. Returning home the Belvidere boys broke back into the winning column by pasting St. Charles 39-26. John Grubb, a junior, smashed a school record by rolling up 342 yards in this game. The final game of the year ended with Belvidere on the short end of a 33-0 score. Naperville's Redskins, the toughest team the Bucs faced all year, were the winners.

All in all, the charges of Coach Patrick and Coach Morris turned in a fine performance this past year. Many injuries to key players hurt the varsity's chances, but tremendous desire coupled with fierce determination pulled the team through. The Bucs didn't win them all, but they turned in eight fine performances.

Bucs stop a "Brown" Redskin.

"Twistin'" to a touchdown.

One missed block made a big difference on this play.

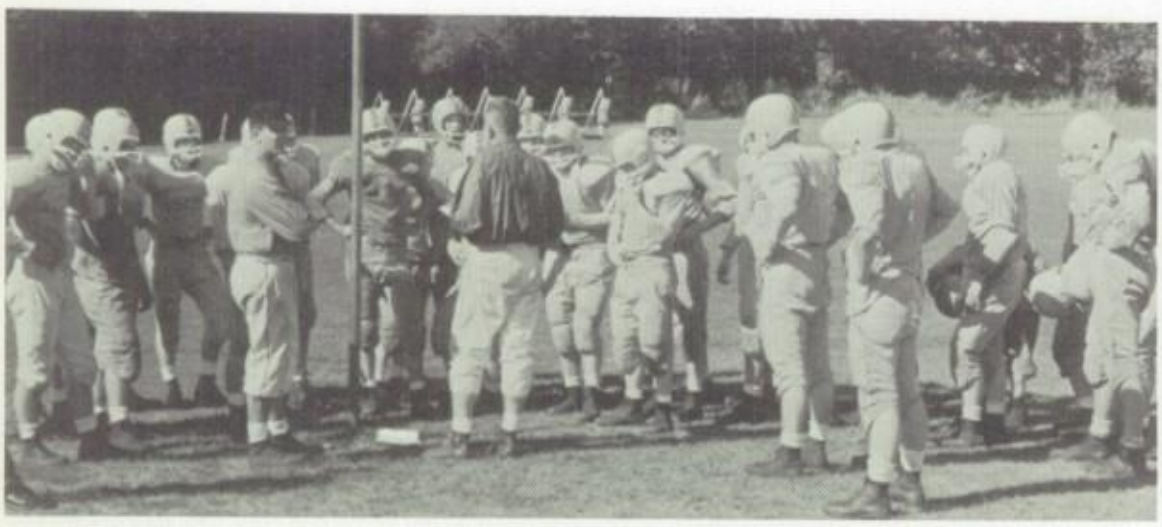
Keator accepts MVP trophy.

# Bucs Have Good Year

This year's team had many outstanding performers. Five gridders made the Little Seven All-Conference team. They were seniors J. Funderburg, J. Hyde, C. Pearson, and W. Rush, and junior J. Grubb. In addition, many Bucs received honorable mention to this same squad.

Grubb set a school rushing mark of 1217 yards. G. Keator, who was well on his way to setting a rushing record himself before being injured in the 6th game, was chosen the Most Valuable Player of 1961. Hyde and Pearson were elected honorary co-captains by their teammates.

The gates are closing fast.



Oh, for some cool, clear water!

Assistant coach Morris and head coach Patrick.

22-trap, Bucs' "bread and butter" play, begins to develop.

# Cross-Country Returns

FIRST ROW: T. Chamberlain, J. Gibbons, D. Schiltz, D. Baer, K. Coulter, P. Tobin, B. Salley, B. Blake, D. Negus. SECOND ROW: D. Graham, C. Karp, J. Monday, S. McCoy, K. Hicks, C. Cleveland, K. Kurtenbach, L. Wahler, B. Braker, B. Palmer.

Even after a hard workout, Coach Barr manages to remain both dapper and debonair.

After a year's absence, cross country returned as a Belvidere High School sport. Running on a rather limited schedule, the varsity "harriers" finished the dual meet season with no wins and four losses but were rapidly improving at the year's end. Coach Barr's boys lost twice to Harlem, and once each to Auburn and Rockford West. The junior varsity fared somewhat better, winning two of its four meets. Both the varsity and the jayvees competed in the St. Charles Invitational Meet. The "harriers" also took part in the Crystal Lake District Meet. With everyone returning, excepting seniors Dave Schiltz and Bob Blake, this year's outstanding runner, cross-country prospects for the future look much brighter.

FIRST ROW: V. Trimble, C. Schreiber, T. McGraw, R. Wych, J. Carlson, G. Gamlin, D. Sanford, R. Bogardus. SECOND ROW: R. Miller, C. Sisson, D. Hove, R. Schuster, A. Widhalm, J. Meyers, D. Swanson, J. Flemming. THIRD ROW: M. O'Brien, M. Burcum, L. Swanson, J. Silbaugh, M. Reininger, R. Glaser, J. Wimberly, G. Heschelman, G. Pluff, J. Grubb. FOURTH ROW: D. Pearson, E. Lowery, M. Kirsche, D. Bennett, M. Bender, W. Dobbins, L. Ericson, E. Radcliffe, D. Drake, W. Jewell, K. Griffis. BACK: J. Engelsen, G. Lee.

# Frosh-Soph Bucs

Belvidere's frosh-soph football team initiated the 1961 season with a 13-7 win over Carl Sandburg. The Little Bucs met defeat in their second game, however, as they were held scoreless while Mooseheart was countering with two touchdowns. After losing to Batavia, also, the spirited frosh-soph team exploded for three third period touchdowns to vanguish West Chicago, 27-14. The underclassmen started the Homecoming week-end successfully by whipping Geneva, 7-0, but they were overpowered the next week by Sycamore and returned home on the short end of a 20-13 score. This disappointment was followed by a smashing 41-14 victory over St. Charles and a scoreless deadlock with Naperville. This last game proved to be the most satisfying of the year, since the Little Bucs knocked the powerful Redskins out of a tie for first place in the final conference standings.

The frosh-sophs, under the able guidance of Coaches Goeser and Colbert, ended the season with a very respectable record of four wins, three losses, and one tie. Don Pearson was chosen the Most Improved Sophomore Player by his coaches, and Dick Bogardus and Larry Swanson were elected as honorary co-captains by their teammates. These boys, along with all of their teammates, did a fine job this year.

Most Improved, Don Pearson.

C'mon, you guys! I'm freezin'!

## Frosh-Soph Record

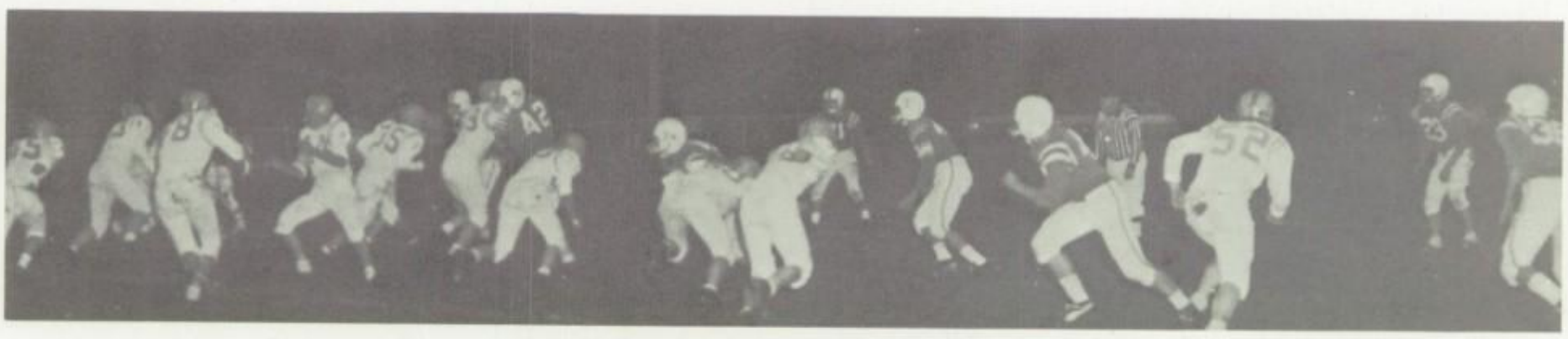
| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Bucs | 13 | Carl Sandburg | 7 |
| Bucs | 0 | Mooseheart | 13 |
| Bucs | 6 | Batavia | 13 |
| Bucs | 27 | West Chicago | 14 |
| Bucs | 7 | Geneva | 0 |
| Bucs | 13 | Sycamore | 20 |
| Bucs | 41 | St. Charles | 14 |
| Bucs | 0 | Naperville | 0 |

Jiggers! Where to now?

Graceful gallop to "paydirt" and six more points.

Frosh-soph coaches, Mr. Goeser and Mr. Colbert.

## Have 4-3-1 Record



Little Buc backfield swings to left on a power play.

FIRST ROW: J. McCartney, J. Grubb, J. Brady, P. Frykholm, G. Wheeler, D. Wait. SECOND ROW: F. Mattson, R. Martin, J. Oncken, B. Crum, L. Hopperstead, L. Mason, R. Anderson, R. Wait.

# *Vastly Improved Bucs*

The varsity Bucs opened the 1961-1962 basketball season in great fashion by battling Rockford West on even terms only to be defeated by two points in overtime. In their second game the Bucs downed Mooseheart, and then they conquered the mighty Geneva Vikings, 65-60. The Bulldogs of Batavia then dealt the Belvidere boys their second heartbreaking defeat as they won 72-70 in a double overtime. After losing two more verdicts, Coach Colbert's boys began to display a real first-rate brand of basketball. In the opening game of the DeKalb Holiday Tournament, the Bucs surprised tourney favorite Proviso East to win by a 61-55 score. They then dealt Dixon an upset by coming out on top of a 68-61 game. The cagers streak was finally halted in the semi-final round by York of Elmhurst, who won the tourney.

The varsity returned to Little Seven play with a loss to Sycamore, but followed it up by dumping St. Charles, 63-53. A defeat at the hands of West Chicago set the stage for the most gratifying weekend of the year. The Bucs first rambled over Mooseheart 78-66, and then smashed arch-rival Rockford East, 76-48. The next week the Bucs helped to set a new school scoring record but still fell down to defeat by a 87-86 score. The combined score of the Bucs and their opponents Geneva shattered the previous standard by 22 points. The hoopsters bounced back to avenge their previous loss to Sycamore by a 63-50 count. The regular season ended rather quietly, however, as Belvidere lost its last three scheduled contests.

In the Rockford Auburn Regional Tournament, the varsity played fine basketball. They first defeated Harlem, 69-56. Then in the last game of the year, the Bucs proved their mettle by putting on one of their best performances of the season to thoroughly scare the highly regarded Rockford Auburn Knights.

This year's edition of the Belvidere Bucs provided their school a team to be proud of and left their fans with little to be desired in the way of excitement. The Bucs played good, fast basketball, and all should be proud of their performance.

# Varsity Season Record

There's no doubt about this shot by Crum.

REGULAR SEASON

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| BUCS | 63 | Rkfd. West | 65(ot) |
| BUCS | 64 | Mooseheart | 48 |
| BUCS | 65 | Geneva | 60 |
| BUCS | 70 | Batavia | 72(2ot) |
| BUCS | 58 | Naperville | 76 |
| BUCS | 59 | Harlem | 66 |
| BUCS | 48 | Sycamore | 53 |
| BUCS | 63 | St. Charles | 53 |
| BUCS | 48 | West Chicago | 62 |
| BUCS | 78 | Mooseheart | 66 |
| BUCS | 76 | Rkfd. East | 48 |
| BUCS | 86 | Geneva | 87 |
| BUCS | 54 | Batavia | 68 |
| BUCS | 52 | Naperville | 80 |
| BUCS | 63 | Sycamore | 50 |
| BUCS | 51 | Rkfd. Auburn | 72 |
| BUCS | 53 | St. Charles | 64 |
| BUCS | 49 | West Chicago | 59 |

DEKALB HOLIDAY TOUR.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| BUCS | 61 | Proviso East | 55 |
| BUCS | 68 | Dixon | 61 |
| BUCS | 38 | Elmhurst York | 64 |

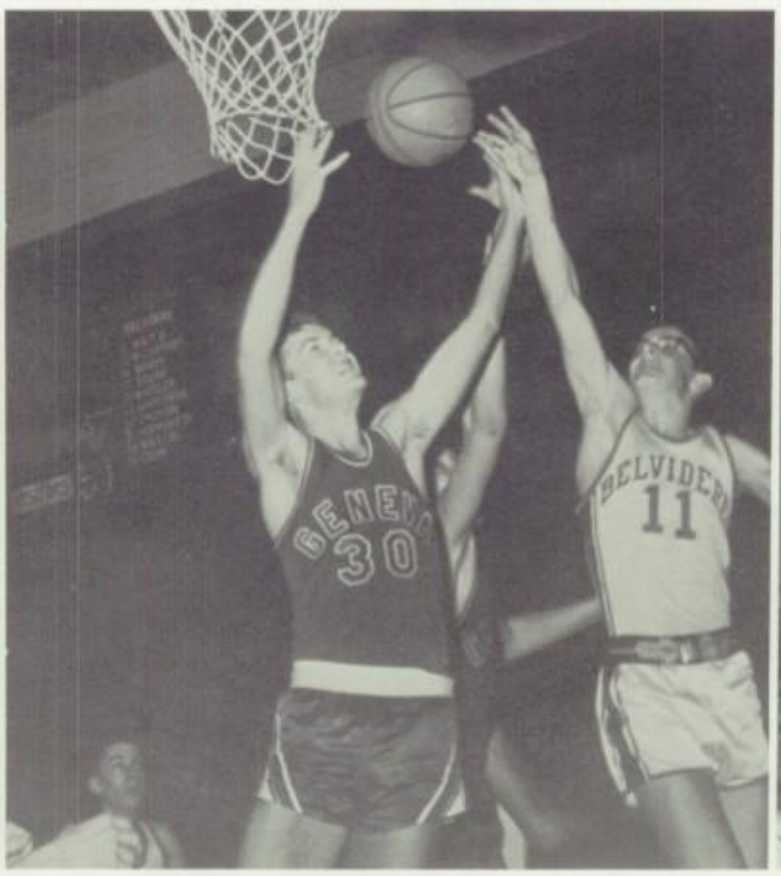
RKFD. AUBURN REGIONAL TOUR.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| BUCS | 69 | Harlem | 56 |
| BUCS | 36 | Rkfd. Auburn | 47 |

McCartney shows off his fine form to the camera.

# Enjoy Successful Year

Brady leaps and soars for two points.

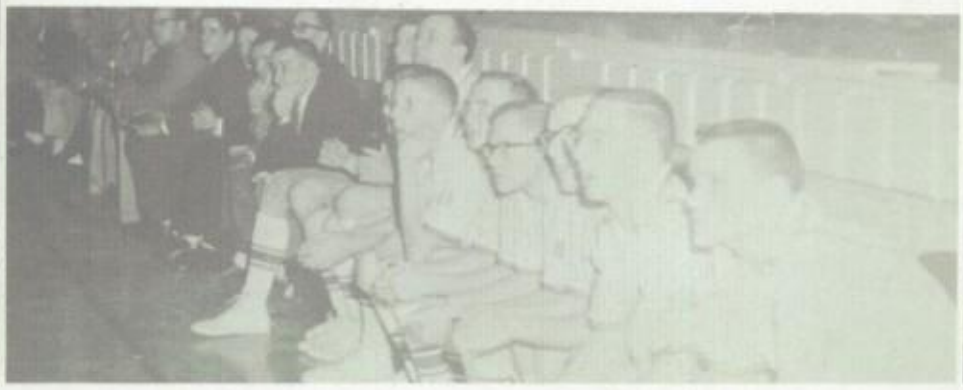


D. Wait strains for rebound against taller opponent.

Two more counters by Oncken.

By hook or crook, don't let him score.

OH BOY!!! What a game!

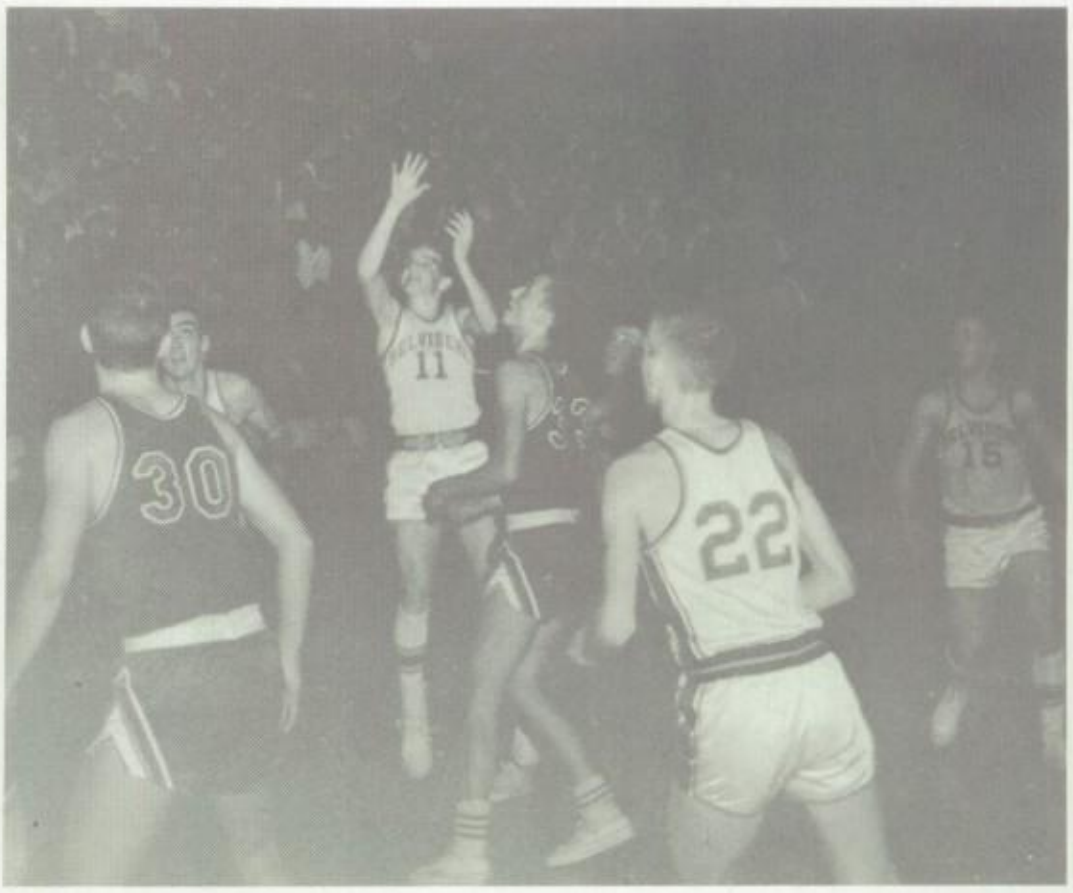


Buc bench follows action intently.

Mason cuts graceful figure in midair.

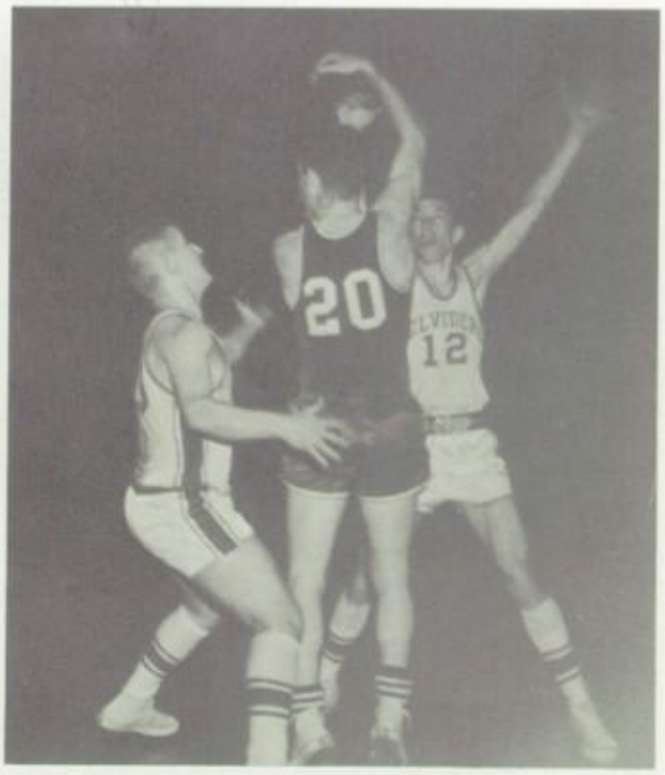
# Varsity Finishes With 9-14 Record

"Choo-choo" Grubb on the go.



All eyes are on a crucial shot in Geneva game.

Oncken and an E-Rab strain every muscle to control the tip.



Anyone for ballet?

Informal "bull-session" between Coaches Colbert and Goeser.

# JV's Win 11

This year's jayvee team, coached by Mr. Goeser, enjoyed a very successful season. Included in their regular season record were wins over each of their foes with the exception of Rochelle. The jayvees competed in the varsity holiday tournament at Kirkland where they were engaged in three very close decisions. The game experience gained by these juniors will prove invaluable to them next year as seniors.

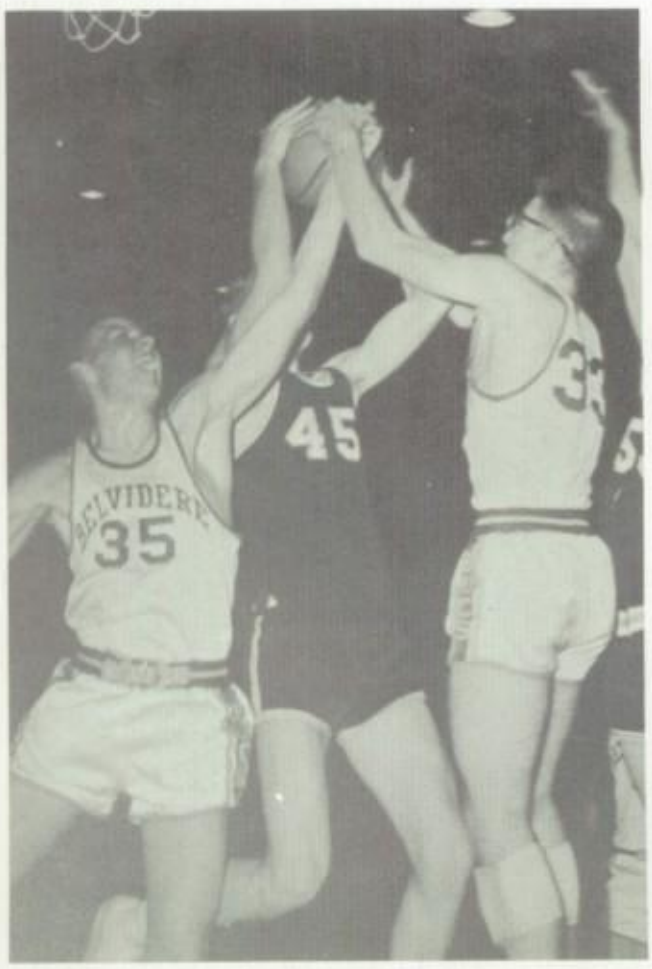
FIRST ROW: T. Countryman, S. Clogston, R. Shuckhart, R. Henderson, R. Buck. SECOND ROW: F. Mattson, P. Tobin, L. Munger, G. Ackerman, B. Libke, R. Wait, P. Frykholm.

## Junior Varsity Record

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| BUCS | 54 | Rkfd. Auburn | 42 |
| BUCS | 59 | Harlem | 46 |
| BUCS | 53 | Marengo | 45 |
| BUCS | 60 | Sycamore | 39 |
| BUCS | 75 | Rkfd. East | 60 |
| BUCS | 52 | Rochelle | 59 |
| BUCS | 53 | Sycamore | 50 |
| BUCS | 49 | Beloit | 55 |
| BUCS | 47 | Rkfd. West | 60 |
| BUCS | 53 | Marengo | 57 |
| BUCS | 73 | Beloit | 52 |
| BUCS | 58 | Rkfd. East | 50 |
| BUCS | 70 | Rkfd. West | 45 |
| BUCS | 64 | Harlem | 43 |
| BUCS | 59 | *Hinck. - Big Rock | 62 |
| BUCS | 57 | *Paw-Paw | 51 |
| BUCS | 51 | *Earlville | 52 |

*Varsity Team

# Frosh-Soph Hoopsters



Battle royal being waged for key rebound.

This year's frosh-soph basketball team, although winning only six regular season games, had a fine season and gained much valuable experience. After opening the schedule with wins over Rockford West and Mooseheart, the Little Bucs lost six games in a row. From this point on, however, the charges of Coach Barr played very good basketball. They downed West Chicago, 48-33, and defeated Mooseheart for the second time. In their next game the frosh-sophs were seven point victims of Rockford East. The Little Bucs followed up that loss by crushing Geneva 56-43. Then Coach Barr's cagers almost pulled off the upset of the

The opening tip! The game begins.

## Frosh

The freshman team, coached by Mr. McKenna, finished the season with a fine record of 9 wins and only 5 defeats. The team's most splendid achievements were a 44-43 victory over DeKalb

FIRST ROW: R. Ruehl, L. Baxter, J. Grubb, L. Wahler, M. Plumley, J. Ferguson, G. Silvius. SECOND ROW: D. Swanson, J. Reid, G. Hanson, B. Libke, M. O'Brien, B. Schmitt, T. Chamberlain. THIRD ROW: D. Chamberlain, L. Swanson, W. Jewell, D. Pollack, J. Thornton, M. Kirsche, J. Darby.

# Provide Much Excitement

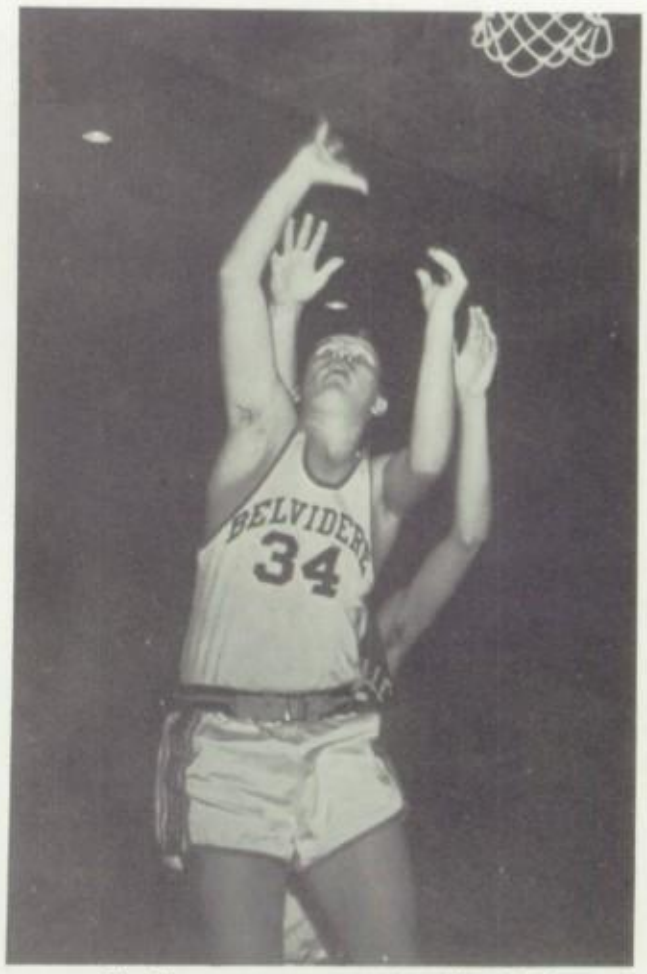
year as they remained ahead of the league-leading Batavia sophs until the final two minutes of play when they fell down to lose by three points. The frosh-sophs ended the regular season by defeating West Chicago, 39-36.

This year's Little Buc team, dominated in number by freshman, showed vast improvement throughout the year. The team was well-balanced and had no individual standouts. Despite the fact that their record going into the Frosh-Soph Tournament was only 6 wins and 12 losses, the Little Bucs displayed tremendous drive and determination throughout the year.

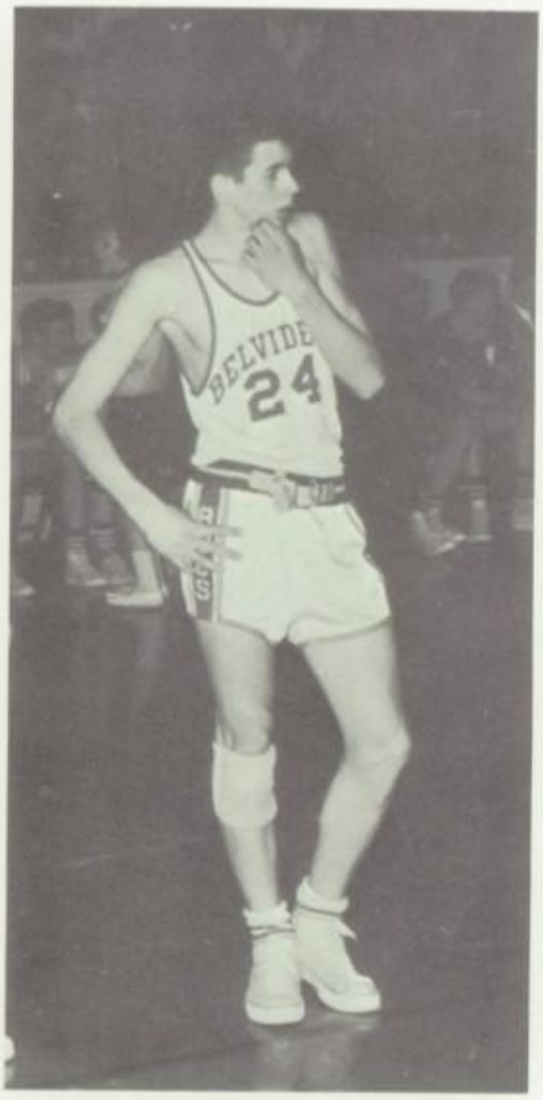
## Cagers

and a 35-34 conquest of the Rockford East sophomore "B" team. The frosh squad was composed of those members of the frosh-soph team who were not regular players in the sophomore games.

Strictly a three-man affair.



Chalk up two more for the Little Bucs.



"Do you really think that we can do it?"

## Frosh - Soph Record

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| BUCS | 32 | Rkfd. West | 28 |
| BUCS | 51 | Mooseheart | 20 |
| BUCS | 36 | Geneva | 41 |
| BUCS | 37 | Batavia | 54 |
| BUCS | 34 | Naperville | 46 |
| BUCS | 25 | Harlem | 35 |
| BUCS | 35 | Sycamore | 54 |
| BUCS | 31 | St. Charles | 37 |
| BUCS | 48 | West Chicago | 33 |
| BUCS | 43 | Mooseheart | 41 |
| BUCS | 44 | Rkfd. East | 51 |
| BUCS | 56 | Geneva | 43 |
| BUCS | 50 | Batavia | 53 |
| BUCS | 53 | Naperville | 64 |
| BUCS | 50 | Sycamore | 62 |
| BUCS | 31 | Rkfd. Auburn | 44 |
| BUCS | 29 | St. Charles | 54 |
| BUCS | 39 | West Chicago | 36 |

Mr. McKenna and Mr. Barr, frosh-soph coaches.

INTRAMURAL FOOTBALL CHAMPIONS, FIRST ROW: Adviser, J. Grubb, C. Hanna, G. Dorn, L. Hemmons, J. Knapp. SECOND ROW: J. Rydbom, D. Schiltz, T. von Heimburg, G. Oncken, R. Schmitt, L. Barringer, R. Wait.

INTRAMURAL BASKETBALL CHAMPIONS, FIRST ROW: Adviser B. Crum, D. Nihan, R. Mullins, J. Hill, D. Van Laningham. SECOND ROW: D. Thornton, A. Brunner, S. Smith, J. Ackerman, R. Glaser, D. Edwards.

# *Intramural Sports*

Under the supervision of Joe Lewis, boys at Belvidere High participated in a fine intramural sports program this past year. Starting with touch football, Mr. Lewis worked out a program which included basketball, wrestling, ping pong, softball, track, and tennis. Whereas a representative team was chosen from each gym class for the touch football competition, the basketball teams were chosen by each of the ten captains selected by Mr. Lewis.

Instead of holding the tournament on one night, as was done in touch football, the basketball teams played a nine game schedule. Twelve teams participated in volleyball, each playing an eleven game schedule. Spring sports enthusiasts competed in softball, track, and tennis. All individual winners and members of winning teams in the intramural tournaments were awarded with small trophies. Thanks to the hard work of Joe and his student advisory staff, the 1961-1962 intramural program was a great success. The program provided many a boy with the opportunity of participating in a sport of his own particular interest.

INTRAMURAL WRESTLING CHAMPIONS, FIRST ROW: B. Palmer, D. Brock, D. Wick, B. Mullins, S. Barnes. SECOND ROW: Adviser C. Hanna, K. Taylor, M. Whalen, R. Davis, B. Carter, M. Holm, P. Swanlund, C. Pearson.

Adviser D. Anderson presents ping pong award to R. Buck.

Joe Lewis supervises from the scorers' bench.

Varsity wrestlers referee intramural matches.

That one should be good for two.

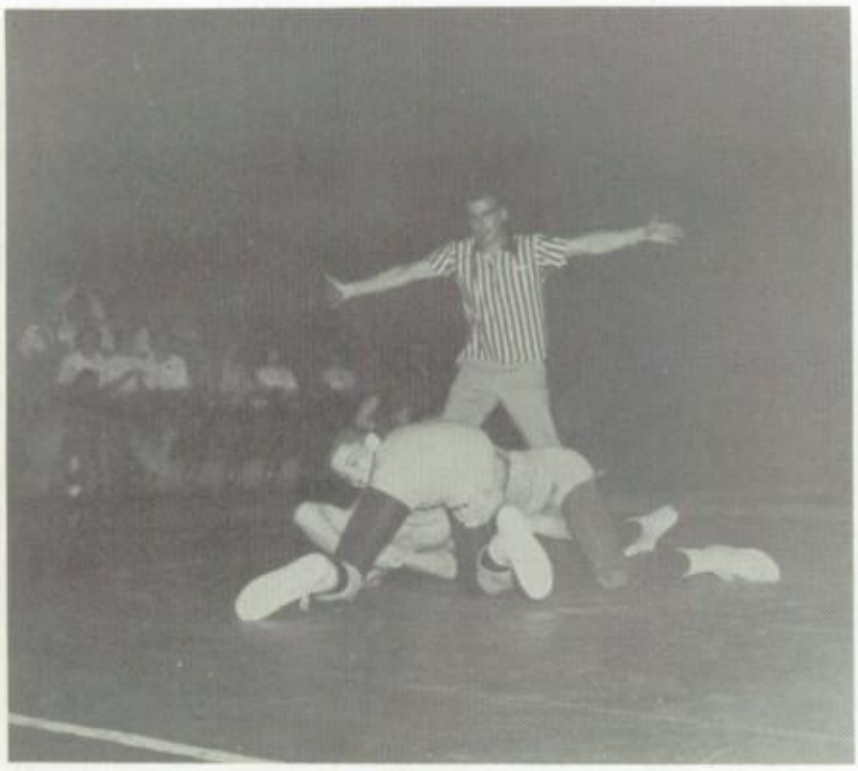
# Athletic Managers at B.H.S.

MANAGERS, FIRST ROW: R. Lamphere, P. Stauffer, J. Lear, N. Frank, G. Stuart. SECOND ROW: J. Steinborn, J. Null. THIRD ROW: A. Reser, M. Chamberlain, A. Butz.

Managers at Belvidere High School put in long hours keeping our various athletic teams in shape for competition. The managers handled equipment for the teams, took care of minor first-aid problems, recorded statistics, and even provided moral support when it was needed. Members of a team found managers very useful and could hardly get along without them.

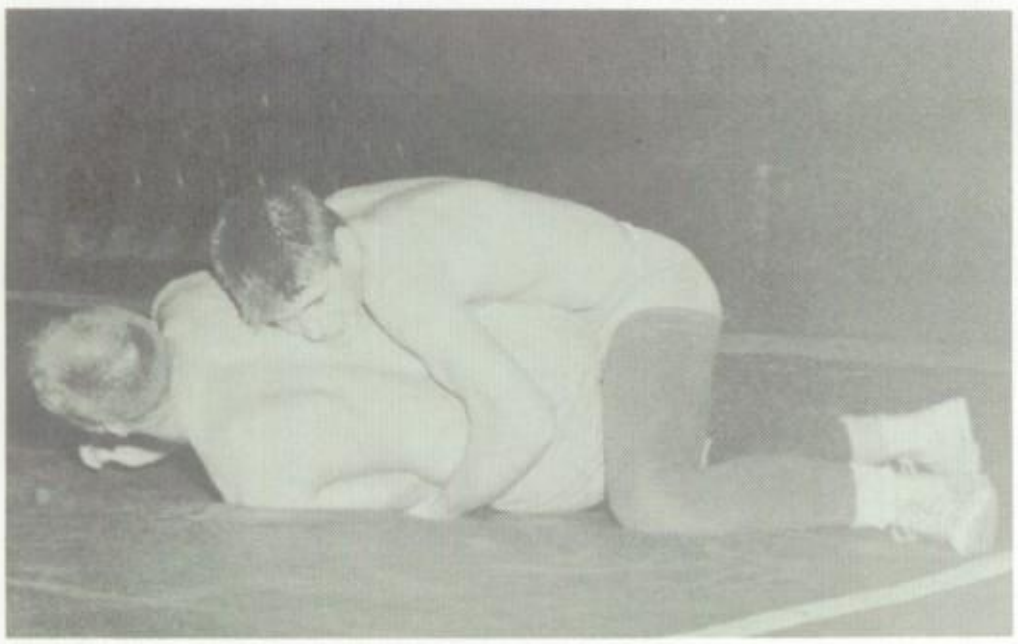
"But Coach, we're going to polish the balls."

# Buc Grapplers "Pin"



As of yet, no advantage.

Stick in that arm and roll him.



Two of the bigger boys battle it out.

## Varsity Wrestling Record

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| BUCS | 38 | Hononegah | 13 |
| BUCS | 4 | Naperville | 42 |
| BUCS | 11 | Rockford East | 33 |
| BUCS | 35 | Mooseheart | 9 |
| BUCS | 35 | Batavia | 11 |
| BUCS | 20 | Rockford West | 19 |
| BUCS | 30 | West Chicago | 23 |
| BUCS | 28 | Sycamore | 16 |
| BUCS | 36 | Geneva | 14 |
| BUCS | 27 | St. Charles | 25 |
| BUCS | 22 | Rochelle | 22 |
| BUCS | 34 | Harvard | 11 |

You are going for a free trip, buster.

The exhausted but happy look of victory.

# Down a Great Record

FIRST ROW: G. Luckett, R. Ferguson, W. Cowger, G. Heshelman, J. Hage, R. Bogardus, W. Lowe, J. Paulson, R. Mason, D. Ford. SECOND ROW: N. Thorp, B. Palmer, J. Craig, C. Karp, C. Hanna, S. Karp, J. Lowery, R. Mullins, B. Braker. THIRD ROW: J. Carlson, M. Bender, G. Pluff, J. Funderburg, E. Lowery, J. Smith, R. Heshelman. J. Engelsen, C. Mild. NOT PICTURED: T. Hansen, W. Martens.

Buc grapplers grunted and groaned their way through the most highly successful wrestling season in Belvidere history. Overall, the wrestling teams won 19 matches while losing 6 and tying 2.

The varsity compiled a 9-2-1 record, going without defeat in their final nine matches. The junior varsity, frosh-soph, and freshman teams had a combined record of 10 wins, 4 losses, and 1 tie. However, the varsity placed a somewhat disappointing fifth in the Little 7 conference meet while the frosh-sophs garnered fourth in their division of the same event.

Charlie Karp, 103 pound sophomore, Charles Hanna, 138 pound senior, and sophomore Jack Engelsen, who wrestled in 180 pound division, all won second place in the district meet, thus earning the right to advance to the state sectional meet at Palatine, wnere they were eleminated in first round action.

Coaches Copp and Morris and their charges worked extremely hard this year. Their most gratifying victories were the 20-19 defeat given Rockford West, the 30-23 licking of West Chicago, the 27-25 verdict over St. Charles, and the 22-22 "moral victory" over powerful Rochelle.

The wrestlers chose John Lowery, a sophomore with a 15-6 record, as the Most Valuable Wrestler. Senior Ted Hansen, who had a fine 12-8 record, was voted honorary captain.

The wrestling squad will definitely miss such graduating seniors as Hansen, Hanna, J. Funderburg, R. Heshelman, and W. Martens, but many outstanding underclassmen give Belvidere hopes of again matching this year's excellent performance.

Assistant coach Morris and head coach Copp talk shop.

# Cheerleaders

VARSITY CHEERLEADERS: M. McCartney, M. Meyers, N. Helsdon, L. Brown, J. Benton.

Madeline "backs up" our team.

Hey, Ra Ra, Ra Ra Ra; Hey Ra Ra, Ra Ra Ra.

# *spark our teams*

A cheerleader's talents "branch out" in many fields.

The girls at tryouts wait anxiously for their turn.

SOPHOMORES: L. Stuerer, M. Tobin, C. Zdeb, L. Leonard, K. Gillette, S. Wright. NOT PICTURED: K. Williams.

A few days after school started, cheerleading tryouts were held. After each prospective cheerleader had given a cheer, the student body voted for nineteen representatives. For the varsity squad two juniors, Nancy Helsdon and Marcia McCartney, and three seniors, Lois Brown, Madeline Meyers, and Joyce Benton, were elected. Sophomore and freshmen cheerleaders were also chosen.

Cheerleaders' emotions are varied.

FRESHMEN: N. Marshallsay, M. Burton, R. Buck, J. Rush, V. Culvey, G. Park, L. Scheibly.

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# ORGANIZATIONS

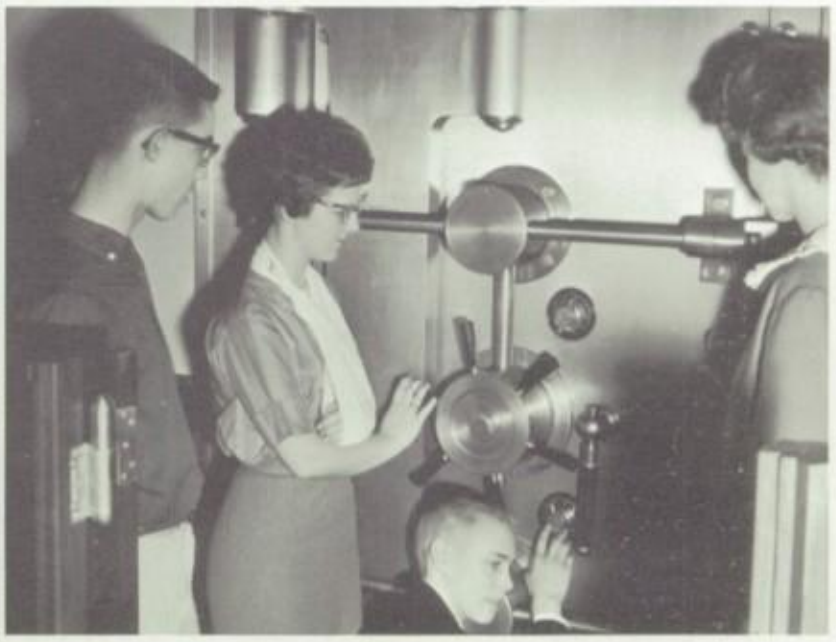
# Student Council

John Thornton brings forth an important issue

Every other Friday during seventh period, the rapping of the gavel could be heard as Larry Hopperstead called the Student Council meeting to order. The Student Council functioned primarily to serve us, the students. It sponsored many of the interesting programs brought to us during the past year. Headed by Sally Johannes, the finance committee published the student handbook. Many freshmen found the Student Council's services invaluable during Orientation Day. Throughout the year the Student Council worked incessantly to make our school better.

PROGRAM COMMITTEE, FRONT ROW: Carol Lord, Alberta Bucklin, Kay Gillette, Sharyn Hanna, Kristine DeMunn. SECOND ROW: Dean Conlin, Chairman; Nick Thorp, Richard Hetland, Dean Wait, Dan Chamberlain, Larry Swanson. NOT PICTURED: Gordy Gorman, Tom Reeves.

FINANCE COMMITTEE, FRONT ROW: Steve Clogston, Jill Howlett, Diane Weld, Myra Martin, Sally Johannes, Chairman; Sharon Neufer, Susie Wright. SECOND ROW: Bob Shuckhart, Ron Wait, Jerry Oncken, Randy Schmitt, Brian Schmitt, Don Ford.



Finance Committee works overtime.

Sherrie Brown points the way to lost seniors.

SOCIAL COMMITTEE, FRONT ROW: Joy Woods, Chairman; Linda Scheibly, Dick Ferguson, Bonnie McLean, Sue Carlson, Pat Call, Dick Anderson. SECOND ROW: Sharon Keating, Sherrie Brown, Bob Mullins, Neal Frank, Leslie Reid, Jed Dunbar, John Thornton.

STUDENT COUNCIL OFFICERS: Steve Clogston, Treasurer; Carol Lord, Reporter; Larry Hopperstead, President; Sharon Neufer, Secretary; Neal Frank, Vice President.

Officers: K. Schult, Sophomore Assistant; A. Bucklin, Secretary-Treasurer; L. Brown, Vice President; P. Summers, President; C. Smith, Point Recorder; J. Strawn, Junior Assistant.

G. A. A. members strive for that extra inch.

The primary purpose of G.A.A. is to promote interest and participation in girls' sports. Membership was opened to any interested girl attending Belvidere High School who had a heart examination by a physician, paid her 50 cents dues, and earned 24 points according to the Illinois League point system.

The girls earned their points by participation in various sport activities before and after school. Hiking, soccer, trampoline, tumbling, bowling, volleyball, basketball, softball, golf, and recreational sports were the activities offered for the year.

# *Promote interest*

Up and over!!

Trampoline was a new sport offered by G. A. A. this year.

Bowling is a popular G. A. A. activity.

G. A. A. members decorate for the Christmas formal.

Social activities for the year included the Buddy Hike in the fall. All girl students and women faculty members were invited with over 300 participating in the five mile hike and weiner roast. The formal dance was held in December with "Christmas Dream" as the theme. In April, a formal initiation was held for the new members that had earned their required points. The Mother-Daughter banquet was in May. Awards were presented to members who had earned 75 points. The Rosemary Zvonar Award was presented to the outstanding junior girl.

Big sisters give little sisters advice.

# *in athletics*

EXECUTIVE BOARD, FRONT ROW: C. Smith, G. Schafman, M. Meyers, J. Howlett. SECOND ROW: J. Woods, D. Weld, B. Lewis, S. Johannes, L. Smith, P. Firkins, S. Hanna, S. Rosenow, M. Maxwell. THIRD ROW: S. Wright, K Nesbitt, M. Tobin, N. Rairdin.

B-CLUB OFFICERS, BOTTOM ROW: Dick Anderson, Judge; Larry Hopperstead, President; Rick Martin, Secretary. TOP ROW: Larry Mason, Vice-President; Gary Keator, Treasurer.

B-CLUB membership was limited to those boys who had earned a varsity letter.

The club, advised by Mr. George Goeser, carried on varied activities. Money for club activities was earned by selling popcorn and cokes at home football and basketball games.

Dads' Night and Moms' Night activities were sponsored by the club. The football players' fathers were honored at a home game. The basketball players' mothers were given corsages to highlight Moms' Night.

# B-Club Membership Pyramids

The parents of football players and basketball players were honored.

Senior members gain recognition.

Officers: Lois Brown, Treasurer; Pat Summers, President; Ron Wait, Vice President; Carole Lord, Secretary.

Enthusiasm runs wild!!

The purpose of the Pep Club of Belvidere High School is to promote interest in athletics. This year marked the fourteenth year of this organization, which was the largest club in school.

The biggest project of the Pep Club was the annual Homecoming week-end. It sponsored and supervised a bonfire and pep rally on Thursday night. The members decorated the football field for the big game, and they also decorated the Community Building for the dance on Saturday night. The club had a sports dance during the spring to honor all spring sport participants. Miss Conway and Miss Larimore were the Pep Club sponsors.

Candidates ride Pep Club float.

## *"... Spark school spirit ..."*

SEATED: B. McLean, V. Loofboro, L. Bender, C. Palmquist, J. Woods, D. Weld, A. Ferguson, C. Smith, S. Stroup.
STANDING: F. Stienecker, K. Wendell, K. Moan, D. Wait, M. Maloney, B. Blake, D. Conlin, C. Pyszka, K. Webb, S. Brown.

DEBATE CLUB OFFICERS: Bill Hetland, Secretary; Cindy Winn, President; Darcie Marcellus, Treasurer; Larry Barringer, Vice-President. NOT PICTURED: Steve Karp, Journalist.

# Debaters learn through experience

The members of the newly organized Debate Club learned the fundamentals of debating under the tutelage of Mr. David Backstrom. This organization made great strides in forming an efficient club.

Teaching tolerance and doing away with irrational thought were the aims of Debate Club. After being divided into negative and affirmative teams, each side presented its argument in formal procedure. The club's discussion point for the year was Federal Aid To Education. Debaters strived to develop speaking skill and reasoning ability.

Club members attended the Whitewater Debate Tournament to participate and to observe.

DEBATE CLUB MEMBERS, FRONT ROW: Pat Greve, K. Boyle, J. Burger, D. Marcellus, M. Prather. SECOND ROW: W. Hetland, P. Sullivan, R. Sisson, K. Taylor, C. Winn, K. Webb. THIRD ROW: W. Welch, M. Nordmoe, L. Barringer, J. Nash, J. Strawn.

PARTICIPANTS AND OBSERVERS AT DEBATE TOURNAMENT: R. Sisson, M. Prather, R. Rohda, P. Sullivan, C. Winn, W. Hetland.

# *Vocalists harmonize together*

The Music Department presented the colorful Christmas concert this year, "An Old Fashioned Christmas." The Art Department gaily decorated the stage with beautiful scenery. Many long hours of practice were devoted to make this concert possible.

Students earned points by taking part in concerts and extra choral groups and by singing in their church choir. Those persons who had earned 750 points were honored at a special assembly.

The six choruses, directed by Mrs. Keeler, met everyday for their routine practice. In addition to the daily classes, such groups as the Teen Tones, Boys Chorus, Choraleers, and many trios and quartets practiced before and after school.

The A Cappella display their talent.

The Freshman Chorus sing in their first concert.

One, two, ready, sing!

Teen Tones set the stage for the Christmas Concert.

Mixed Chorus mix their voices perfectly.

# *Vocalists and hard work*

Sophomores sing from their hearts.

The District Music Contest was held at Aurora on February 24. The groups that represented B.H.S. were the Choraleers and the Harmonettes, and a sextet. Soloists were Cindy Winn, Joan Burger, Sharon Yakey, Dick Anderson, and Karen Stone. The winners of the district contest went on to the state contest.

Later in the year, vocal students were chosen to go to summer camp, where they would study, relax, and sing.

Choraleers blend in perfect harmony.

# *produce enchanting music*

A Cappella practice their new numbers.

Nothing stops the Boys Chorus from singing, not even the early practices.

BAND OFFICERS, SEATED: T. Reeves, President. STANDING: S. Karp, Treasurer; R. Lamphere, Vice President; B. Hetland, Publicity Chairman; Dean Conlin, Secretary.

The oddest faces . . . in the strangest places.

# There's

Service to the school and to the community was the key-note of the band program which was under the direction of Mr. Harned. By presenting half time shows for football games, by playing at pep assemblies, and by performing at basketball games, the band members displayed their school spirit. The eighty piece band also marched in civic parades.

A concert at Christmas time and another in the spring were presented.

New officers were announced and point awards were given at the annual Memorial Day picnic.

TWIRLERS: L. Ashens, T. Zichuhr. FRONT ROW: P. Smith, W. Welch, P. Swanlund, J. Ferguson, S. Clogston, L. Hansen. SECOND ROW: S. Barnes, J. Miller, B. Salley, J. Vandercoy, C. Pollock, C. Cooper. THIRD ROW: D. Wych, L. Munger, R. Hetland, S. Cash, N. Frank.

FRONT ROW: B. Mathison, B. McLean, L. Edmonds, K. Tomamichel, S. Smith. SECOND ROW: R. Ressler, D. Ford, M. Martin, N. Rairdin, J. Burton, B. Bailey, R. Shattuck, J. Walls. THIRD ROW: K. Bates, C. Paulson, N. Oncken, P. Rhodes, B. Koch, S. Steinke, B. Palmer, G. Winkelman. NOT PICTURED: L. Evans, K. Krans, B. Weld.

# *music in the air*

FRONT ROW: J. Dunbar, M. McCartney, D. Dague, M. Hermanson, L. Berg. SECOND ROW: D. Weld, P. Call, M. Tobin, G. Kaiser, K. Morrison, S. Thayer, K. Webster, K. Taylor. THIRD ROW: J. Benton, G. Gorman, G. Frank, S. Wheeler, W. Dunbar, D. Edwards, B. White, N. Daniels, L. Swanson. NOT PICTURED: D. Kaiser, P. Glass, K. Bowley.

FRONT ROW: J. Nash, R. Wheeler, R. Pond, C. Karp, J. Page. SECOND ROW: W. Edwards, J. Keating, R. Lamphere, D. Conlin, W. Hetland. THIRD ROW: L. Hopperstead, T. Reeves, S. Karp, K. Evans, K. Crull, D. Paulson, L. Darby, J. Paulson. NOT PICTURED: C. Mild, R. Churchill.

OFFICERS: Sue Hart, Treasurer; Barbara Franklin, Secretary; Helen Glaser, Public Relations and Degrees; Karen Hulstedt, President; Ann Holroyd, Vice President; Audrey Berg, Recreation; Judy Finnestad, Parliamentarian.

# *What's Cooking?*

The Future Homemakers of America, an organization in which girls learned how to sew and cook, seemed to always be cooking up something. At Christmas time the girls painted coffee cans, which were later filled with the cookies that they had made. The girls gave these cans of cookies to the rest homes and shut-ins when they went caroling.

For a money making project, the girls sold High Crest Christmas cards. Each girl had a secret sister to whom she gave a Christmas and birthday present.

The F.H.A., which was advised by Mrs. Stonecipher, had 49 members.

The officers for the coming year were installed at the Mother-Daughter Banquet.

F.H.A. girls learn techniques of sewing.

The members study and plan.

LEFT TO RIGHT: J. Woods, Corresponding Secretary; Sharon Anderson, President; S. Johannes, Recording Secretary; J. Cranston, Historian; P. Munger, Social Chairman; L. Brown, Treasurer; G. Schafman, Vice President. NOT PICTURED: P. Greve, Social Chairman.

The Future Nurses Club was organized to create interest in the nursing profession. This club, organized seven years ago, met once a month during activity period.

The formal initiation ceremony was held in December. The guest speaker was Mrs. Lewis Hawkey, Superintendent of Highland Hospital.

For each holiday during the school year, a committee was appointed to make and deliver favors to patients at Highland and St. Joseph's Hospitals.

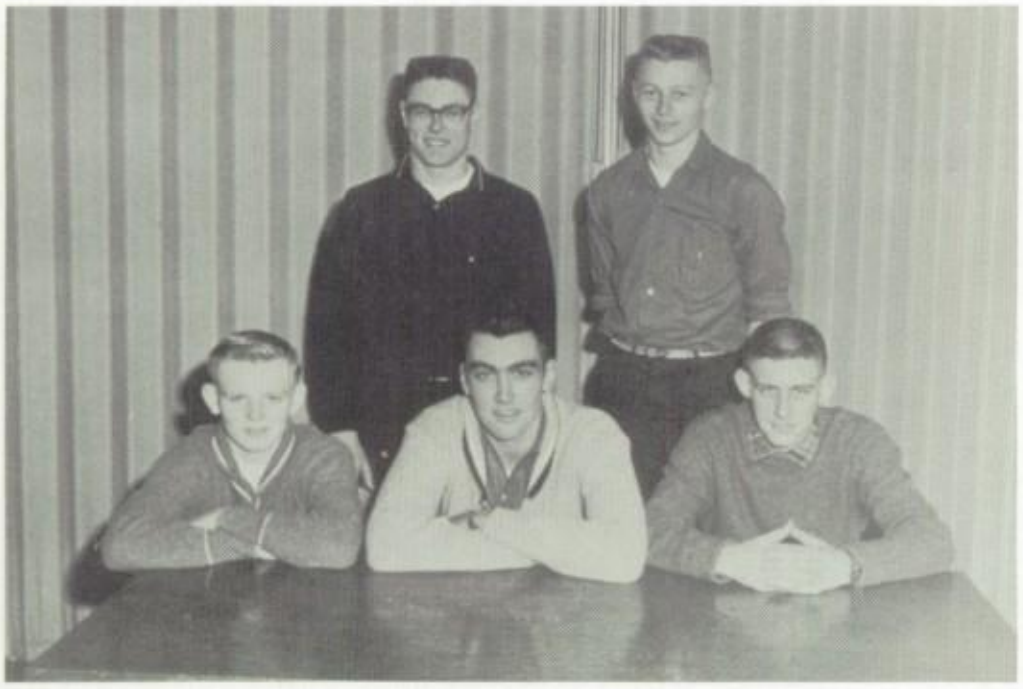
One of the highlights of the year was a field trip in May.

Mr. McAllister, Miss Benincosa, Mrs. Wesley Oliver, and Mrs. Edward Smith were the advisors.

# F.N.C.

Members make Valentine favors for the hospitals.

F. N. C. pledges are installed at the formal initiation.



OFFICERS: B. Walberg, Reporter; B. Crum, President; B. Gray, Vice President; L. Fair, Sentinel; G. Salley, Treasurer. NOT PICTURED: R. Aves, Secretary.

*Learning to Do*

*Doing to Learn*

*Earning to Live*

*Living to Serve*

# Future Farmers

One of Belvidere High School's most active organizations is the Future Farmers of America. The members of F.F.A., advised by Mr. Witt, have gained quite an impressive record since the Belvidere Chapter's founding in 1940. Two boys, Alvin Heninger and Dave Lampert, have obtained The American Farmer Degree. The Belvidere Chapter has achieved the Superior Chapter Award four times; and in 1962, for the first time in Belvidere's history, the Bronze Emblem Award was given to the chapter.

This year's club members tried to live their motto of learning to do, doing to learn, earning to live, and living to serve.

ROW ONE: Mr. Witt, J. Hove, J. Hage, R. Walberg, L. Fair, B. Gray. ROW TWO: J. Wenzel, D. Adamson, L. Karlson, D. Hyland. ROW THREE: G. Hulstedt, W. Winkler, D. Crawford. ROW FOUR: J. Rhode, D. Rhode, G. Potter, E. Morris, R. Davis, K. Koch. ROW FIVE: C. Raum, L. Frank, W. Pedersen, C. Wheeler, G. Lee. ROW SIX: R. Harling, G. Lane, S. Gallano, H. Bunger, T. Crawford, R. Sellers, B. Forster, J. Vivian.

AWARD WINNERS, ROW ONE: D. Rhode, B. Walberg, K. Koch, C. Wheeler. ROW TWO: R. Aves, S. Galano, B. Gray, J. Wilson.

Mr. President, I move that . . .

# Learn by Doing

ROW ONE: B. Crum, R. Aves, G. Salley, L. Ruby, M. Nelson, L. White. ROW TWO: M. Silberhorn, T. Bush, J. Moyer, D. Melvin, E. Jones. ROW THREE: J. Flemming, J. Reid, J. Schmoldt, L. Taylor, T. Meyer. ROW FOUR: J. West, J. Mundy, R. Johnson, R. Nelson, S. McCoy, N. Jannisch. ROW FIVE: J. Pierce, M. Smith, W. Clausing, D. Watterison. ROW SIX: J. Wilson, J. Pinkston, C. Kleveland, J. Wattersoh, E. Ratcliffe, E. Gahlbeck.

The club welcomed any boy who was sincerely interested in vocational agriculture to become a member at the fall initiation.

The Belvidere Chapter won numerous first places at the contests held by section six. Those contests included parliamentary procedure, land useage, and dairy judging. While much work was put forth in preparation for those contests, much personal satisfaction was gained in the participation.

The club ended the school year with a Parent and Son Banquet at which the boys received awards won during the year for successful and outstanding project work.

Officers: S. Mac Names, Secretary; K. Moan, Publicity Chairman; S. Neufer, President; A. Bucklin, Vice President; Cheri Smith, Historian.

The Ruth Harris Club of the Future Teachers of America, advised by Miss Brannah, was organized to encourage students to prepare for a career in teaching. The members learned the requirements and advantages of teaching by listening to speakers and seeing movies about the teaching profession.

Some of the programs included talks by teachers, visitations to classrooms, and panel discussions. One of the most interesting programs was a trip to Mrs. Briggs' kindergarten class at Lincoln School during the November meeting.

Many services were provided by the club. The members served as guides during the annual P.T.A. "Go to School Night." At Christmas time twenty-five dollars was given to a local organization for aid to the needy school children, and a treat was taken to a room at Perry School.

Participation in a student teaching program was the main activity in the spring. A trip to a nearby college was also taken later in the year.

## *"... today's students, tomorrow's educators ..."*

F. T. A. members discover the joys of teaching.

Christmas Committee: S. Lear, S. Johannes, J. Burger, M. Nordmoe, S. Lear.

# Clubs Promote Knowledge

HISTORY CLUB OFFICERS, SEATED: Darcie Marcellus, Secretary; Judy Schwebke, Treasurer. STANDING: Dean Marcellus, President; Connie Stevens, Vice President.

## Science Club

The Science Club, known formerly as the Sparks of Genius, was advised by Mr. Stonecipher. Studying and formulating information on radiological fallout was the club's project for the year. The group also maintained a weather station throughout the year. The club members themselves were required to display initiative and progress on an individual project.

## History Club

To promote understanding and cooperation among the peoples of the earth was the aim of the History Club advised by Miss La Della. Correspondence was the chief tool in this task. The only requirement for membership was that the members start and maintain communication with students in foreign lands.

SCIENCE CLUB OFFICERS: Darcie Marcellus, Treasurer; Cynthia Pyszka, Historian-Reporter; Joe Widhalm, President; Dean Conlin, Vice President.

# Service is their most

## Librarians

LIBRARIANS: Fritzi Stienecker, Sally Johannes, Alicia Sturm.

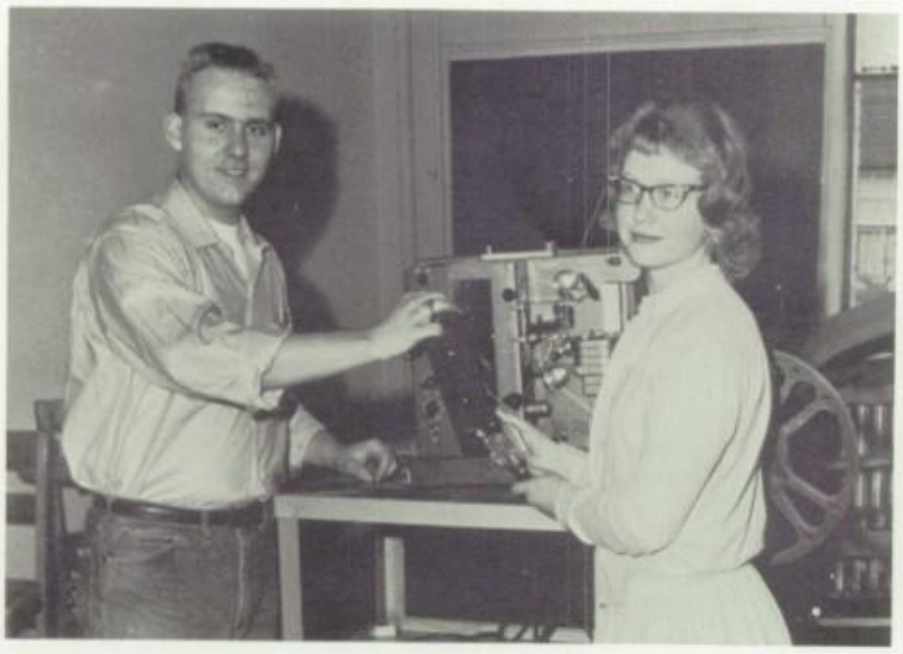
LIBRARIANS: Kay Diamond, Norma Uting.

What would we have done without our librarians? The library with its 11,000 books might have been less orderly without these diligent workers. Before, during, and after school they could be seen working faithfully.

## Junior Candy Girls

FRONT ROW: J. Woods, J. Darley, F. Stienecker, N. Helsdon, B. Lewis, L Smith, P. Firkins, A. Sturm, S. Johannes, J. Burger, M. McCartney. SECOND ROW: D Dague, J. Morey, J. Strawn, A. Schiltz, S. Ehlen, M. Conwell, J. Walls, D. Marcellus, B. Cullison, J. Perkins, M. Hermanson. THIRD ROW: S. Lear, C. Pollock, V. Ward, K. Boyle, S. Hart, P. White, M. Waalewyn, L. Berg, K. Berman, L. Morovic, S. Smith. NOT PICTURED: S. Lear.

# Important Product



OFFICERS: Jack Vowles, President; Julie Morey, Secretary-Treasurer. NOT PICTURED: Russ Goetz, Vice President.

Throughout the year many teachers would ask, "Is there a projectionist in the room?" The student projectionists, advised by Mr. Ryan, aided the teachers by running the audio-visual equipment for them. Experienced in the use and operation of these machines, they made good use of their time and talent.

## Projectionists

PROJECTIONISTS, ROW ONE: B. Munrow, R. Johnson, D. Kleber, J. Morey. ROW TWO: C. Schreiber, M. Nordmoe, J. Oncken, R. Hyde, J. Vowles.

## Ushers Club

USHERS CLUB, FRONT ROW: M. Carter, K. Boyle, K. Wendell, P. Woosley, P. Greve, S. Hart, S. Johannes, L. Morovic, K. Webb. SECOND ROW: B. Pyszka, J. Smith, J. Funderberg, B. Libke, B. Crum, R. Schmitt, M. Hohm, J. Welin.

By working at pep assemblies and games, the members of the Ushers Club proved to be an invaluable aid. Under the guidance of Mr. Chapko, the members helped to make the assemblies more organized. These willing workers could be recognized by their red vests. Although it is a new organization, the Ushers Club has proved itself a success.

STAFF, SEATED: C. Winn, Editor-in-Chief; R. Sisson, Club Editor; P. Greve. STANDING: W. Hetland, Associate Editor; K. Moan, Feature Editor; D. Ellis, Assistant Feature Editor; Mr. Nelson, Adviser; L. Mason, Sports Editor; A. Holroyd.

# Belhi News staff reports school

Who! We, work?

Twice a month each student received a copy of the BEL-HI NEWS, Belvidere High School's student newspaper. Once a month the paper was supplemented with a copy of the ROTO, a small scaled magazine section furnished as a free public service by the National Scholastic Press Association.

Three weeks prior to the issuance date the staff editors meet to plan the issue and give assignments to the reporters. The following week, after the articles were edited and corrected, the finished articles were taken to the BELVIDERE DAILY REPUBLICAN for printing. The articles were returned to be put into the layouts.

One week before the issuance date, the layouts and copy were returned to the DAILY REPUBLICAN for publication. After the paper had been run off the press, it was returned to the BEL-HI staff where it was folded and counted in preparation for distribution on Friday.

STAFF, FIRST ROW: N. Taylor, K. Kurtenbach, F. Linder, Ad Manager; K. Webb, Art and Exchange Editor; R. Kurtenbach. SECOND ROW: A. Ede, Circulation Manager; C. Mild, J. Holmquist, D. Correll, P. Kline, Business Manager; D. Marcellus, News Editor; K. Hulstedt.

# *Life as they see it*

The advertising manager and staff took charge of selling space for the ads. The business manager was responsible for making out and collecting all bills for those ads.

An exchange of school papers with schools throughout the United States was cared for by the exchange editors. The circulation manager kept an up to date list of the number of papers needed in each classroom.

The editors supervised all of the work, saw that the deadlines were met, and made sure that the students received their copies on time.

The BEL-HI NEWS was distributed to the students free of charge. The paper was financed by funds allotted by Community Unit School District 100 and by ads solicited from local business.

All right, gang, where shall we have our next party?

# El Dorado

OFFICERS, FIRST ROW: S. Johannes, Secretary; S. MacNames, Historian. SECOND ROW: G. Dorn, Treasurer; T. Von Heimburg, Vice-President; G. Winkelman, President.

The Spanish Club, officially named El Dorado and advised by Miss Tock, was established at Belvidere High School to foster an appreciation for the Spanish language and for the Spanish-speaking people of the world.

Talks were given and slides were shown by those who had traveled through Spanish-speaking lands.

Just before Christmas, the members went to various homes to sing Spanish carols. Later there was a party held at the high school, where piñatas were broken.

Aprendiendo juntos, se divierten mucho los miembros de El Dorado.

HONOR SOCIETY, FIRST ROW: C. Strandberg, S. Gustella, J. Walls, M. Hermanson, M. McCartney, J. Woods. SECOND ROW: S. Johannes, S. MacNames, C. Stevens, G. Winkelman, B. Hamed, D. Marcellus, L. Rollins, J. Burger, F. Stienecker.

# *Belvi*

WHAT!! Our deadline is next week!

Ted Hansen "fines" it doesn't pay to be late.

Everytime we saw the announcements filled with scheduled pictures, the staff members baggy-eyed from staying up all night, and the photographers with a dozen used flash bulbs in their pockets, we knew that the next deadline for the Belvi was not far off.

Under the supervision of Miss Tock, the Belvi staff met every eighth hour to make the annual yearbook. Although inexperienced at yearbook production, the staff worked eagerly. Throughout the year they found that making a Belvi was toilsome but also rewarding and exciting.

THE BELVI STAFF: Gordon Winkelman, Jerry Oncken, Gordy Gorman, Jan Brady, Gary Dorn, Larry Hopperstead, Betty Lewis, Tom Reeves, Editor; Dick Ferguson, Bob Pyszka, Susan Bottcher, Dean Conlin, Linda Rollins. NOT PICTURED: Carole Lord--after meeting the last deadline.

HIGH SCHOOL
1915

# SOCIAL LIFE

A covering of snow creates a picturesque scene at Belvidere High School.

# *Christmas*

Mr. McAllister tells Santa his Christmas needs.

While a covering of snow ushered in the Christmas season at Belvidere High School, the students joyously awaited their holiday from school. Santa began to make his rounds to find out whether the teachers had been good all year.

Each class began to work industriously to win first place in the Christmas Decoration Contest sponsored by the Student Council. The students were allowed two days for the construction of their displays. After careful consideration, the judges, Mrs. G.P. Clausius, Mr. Harry O'Brien, and Miss Pauline Ortscheid awarded the first prize of $15 to the seniors and second prize of $10 to the juniors.

A winter scene is constructed by the sophomores.

The seniors' display, which won first place, uses a beautiful stained glass window scene.

# Activities

The juniors' second place winning display utilizes the theme of "There was no room in the inn."

The nativity scene is depicted by the freshmen.

Jackie Howlett, retiring queen, crowns Pat Summers, queen, as Alberta Bucklin and Carol Lord watch.

# New Homecoming Idea

HOMECOMING COURT: S. Keating, M. Kirsche, J. Howlett, J. Thornton, N. Helsdon, J. Grubb.

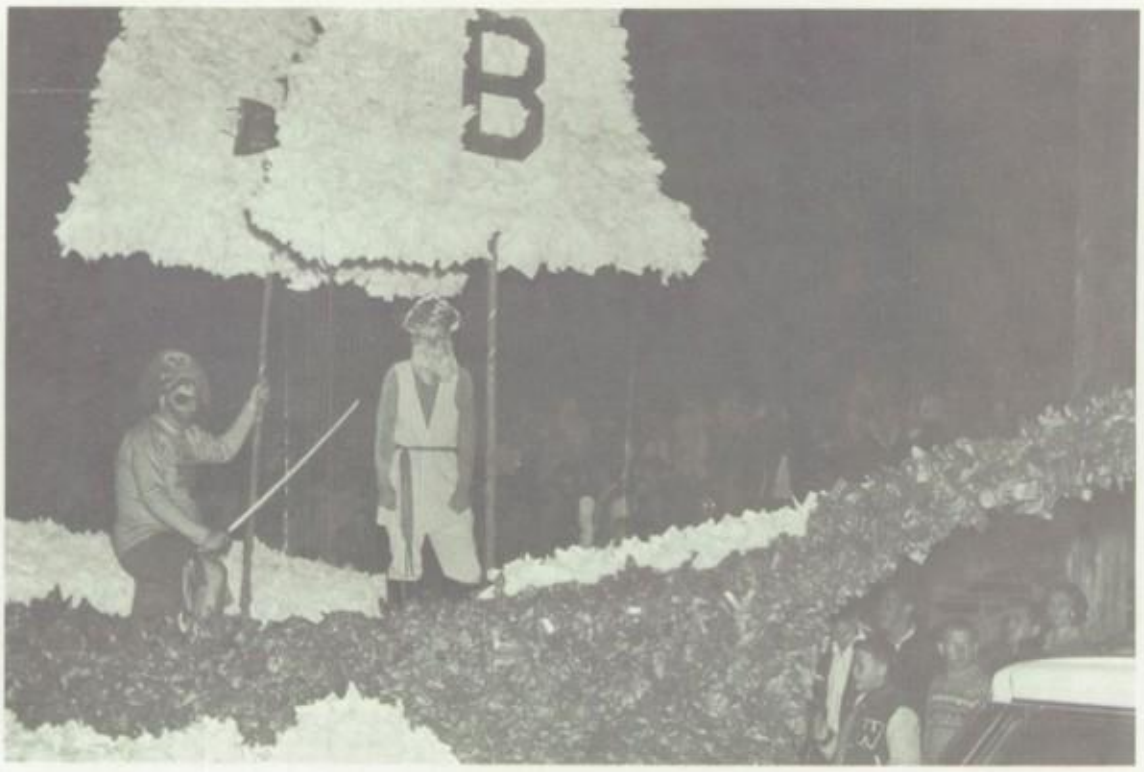
A new plan for Homecoming was ushered in this year. Placing more emphasis on the game and less on individual class spirit, Homecoming activities proved to be a big success.

Two weeks before Homecoming week end, each class nominated six people--three boys and three girls--for the court. The following week each class, excluding the seniors, voted for their representatives for the court. The freshmen elected Max Kirsche and Sharon Keating; the sophomores, John Thornton and Jill Howlett; and the juniors, John Grubb and Nancy Helsdon. The entire student body voted for the king and queen from the senior nominees: Gary Keator, Dick Anderson, and Tom Reeves; and Carol Lord, Alberta Bucklin, and Pat Summers.

In lieu of the contest between classes for the king and queen, the Pep Club sponsored a float contest. Each class

Pep Club float bears royalty: Alberta Bucklin, Pat Summers, and Carol Lord.

SENIOR CANDIDATES, FRONT ROW: Gary Keator, King; Pat Summers, Queen. SECOND ROW: Alberta Bucklin, Tom Reeves, Dick Anderson, Carol Lord.




Junior Class float wins contest with "Vikings Overboard"

# Proved Successful

presented its float to the public at the parade on Thursday night. After the parade there was a huge bonfire at which there were pep talks and cheers.

Friday night witnessed the big game. Although the varsity lost the game, the boys put forth their best effort, making the team one to be proud of. At the half-time of the varsity game, the court and queen candidates, along with the floats, paraded around the field. The junior float won first prize in the float contest with the senior float coming in second.

On Saturday night after the game, the dance, "It's All in the Game," was held at the Community Building with music by Earl Adams. Homecoming activities came to a climax as Gary Keator and Pat Summers were formally crowned king and queen.

Freshman float shows initiative.

Seniors put many hard hours of work in their float.

Sophomores find float-making hard but fun.

Pupils learn to take efficient class notes.

Efficient office help is required to solve many problems.

# *Various ingredients for a*

JANITORS: Mr. Rogstad, Mr. Larson, Mr. Grimes, Mr. Voorhies, Mr. Butz.

COOKS: Mrs. Lane, Mrs. Coleman, Mrs. Marshall, Mrs. Moore.

Students eagerly board homeward bound buses.

Club members learn to participate.

# *are needed*

# *well rounded school*

So ends another day of work and study.

The anxiously awaited hour, 3:35, finally arrives.

Chemistry classes learn by doing.

We have showed you the face of B.H.S. and have taken you within its walls. We hope that we have refreshed fond memories, both good and bad, of the past school year. We hope you will enjoy this book as much as we have enjoyed spending the many hours of work compiling it.

Now, before we leave to conquer new horizons, let us take one last look at the "Halls of Ivy." For the seniors it is the last time to pass through these doors. The rest will reach the moment of no return in time to come.

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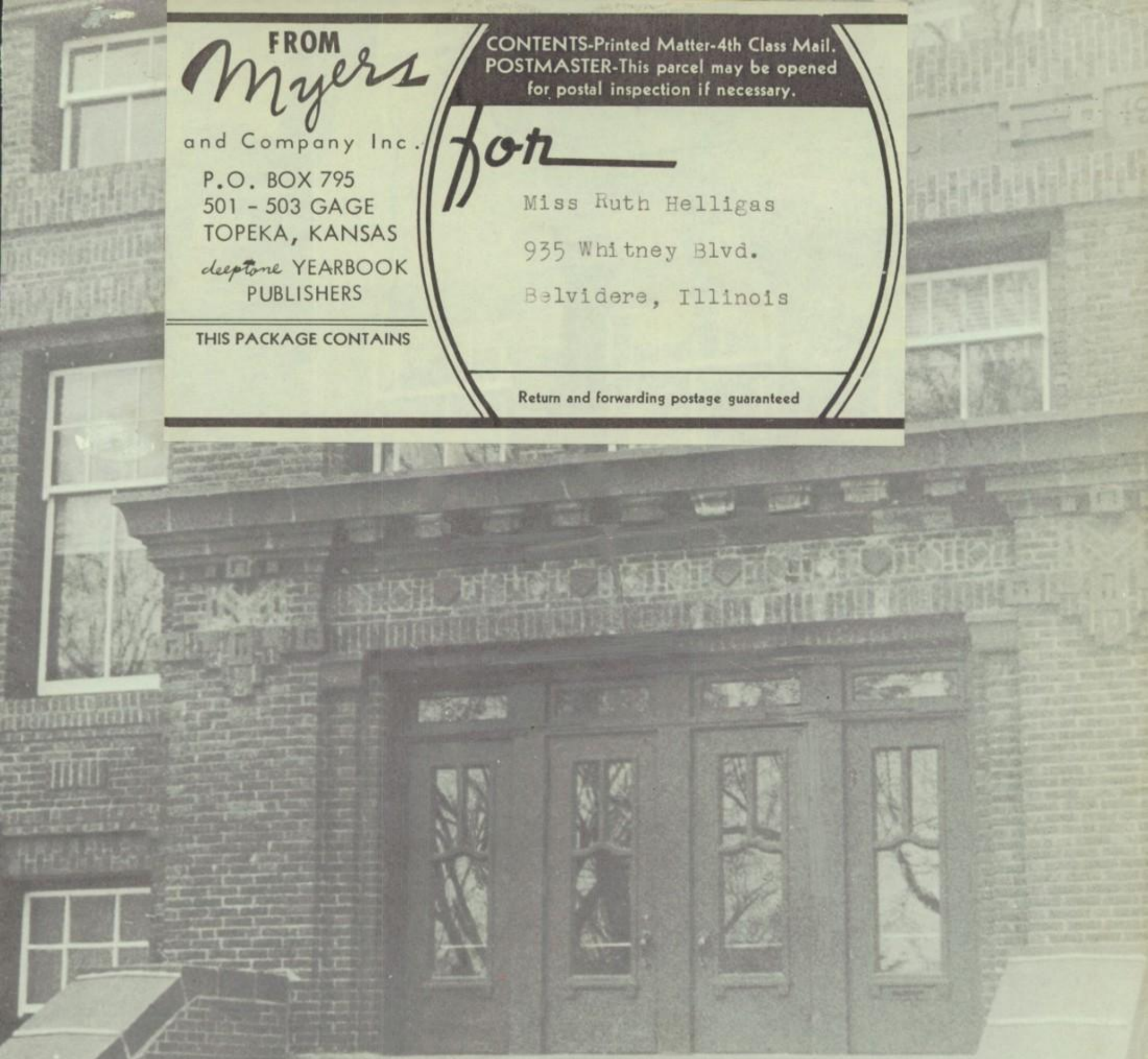

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A. Bucklin, B. Hetland, R. Martin, J. Howlett, L. Hopperstead find that "money is the root of all evil."

# Seniors Make Their

This year the senior class presented "Money Mad," a light comedy of three acts. Under the direction of Mr. Backstrom, this production included the largest senior cast in the history of Belvidere High School. Presented on May 16, 17, the play proved to be enjoyable to both audience and actors.

The cast takes their final bow.

Frenzy family feud formulates fun.

## Cast

Janet . . . . . Jackie Howlett

Keith . . . . . Rick Martin

Edgar . . . . . Larry Hopperstead

Cora . . . . . Pat Greve
Myrna Halverson

Maggie . . . . . Jackie Jury

Larry . . . . . Bill Hetland

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Dan Kleber
Bob Walberg
Cheri Smith
Kathy Moan
Marilyn Reid
Glenda Edmison
Nancy Taylor
Madeline Meyers
Neal Frank

# Last "Play" A Success

Neal Frank leads the orchestra.

Seniors happily sell tickets for play.

Clown around with my punch, will ya?

Excitement reaches its

# *Prom*

Our number-one customer at the junior class bake sale.

peak among Belvidere beauties as judges prepare to crown Miss Wing Ding.

# *and Whing Ding*

Just some of the many starry eyed couples at prom.

Sally Johannes receives the Rosemary Zvonar award from Alberta Bucklin.

# Spring G.A.A. Activities

Couples dancing at the annual G.A.A. dance, "Pink Pagoda."

NEW OFFICERS, LEFT TO RIGHT: Louise Brereton, Janet Strawn, Sally Johannes, Joy Woods, Diane Dague. STANDING: Kathy Nesbitt.

Miss Larimore presents sophomore awards at the banquet.

F. T. A. OFFICERS: M. McCartney, Treasurer; S. Brown, Secretary; J. Strawn, Vice-President; J. Burger, President; B. Lewis, Publicity; S. Johannes, Historian.

# Several Banquet Highlight Spring

People come from "Nero" and far to hear Dick Anderson sing.

Eating Roman style proves to be messy but good.

This spring several clubs held banquets presenting honors and awards. At the F. T. A. banquet, new officers were installed. The meeting was highlighted by a talk by a Japanese exchange student. F. H. A. officers were installed at the annual dinner. The second annual Latin Banquet was held this year. All students came in Roman dress. The banquet was highlighted by a skit and games.

F. H. A. OFFICERS

ROW ONE: S. Clogston, R. Oldejans, R. Mullins, J. Lowery. ROW TWO: J. Funderburg, R. Shuckhart, R. Anderson, J. Grubb, D. Wait. ROW THREE: R. Lamphere, Manager; G. Keator, L. Mason, R. Wait, W. Wascher, N. Frank, Manager. NOT PICTURED: F. Mattson.

# Buc Bats-Men Win 11

Coach Lewis' Belvidere Bucs had a very successful baseball season, finishing with a respectable 11-6-1 record. After opening with three shutout decisions, the Bucs were twice held scoreless themselves. They then won five and tied one of their next eight games, losing only to Rkfd. East and DeKalb. The Bucs won the District Tourney crown by dumping Harlem and So. Beloit, but were defeated in the first game of Regional Tourney action by Sycamore. Belvidere ended the year by edging tough Freeport in extra innings, 3-2.

This year's team boasted many fine ball-players, the best of whom was senior center-fielder Gary Keator, who finished the season with a .500 batting average, the Rock Valley Conference batting title, and All-RVC laurels. Several other Bucs were given special and honorable mention on the All-RVC squad.

Next year's Bucs will miss the abilities of graduated seniors Keator, L. Mason, D. Anderson, and J. Funderburg. Returning, however, is a fine group of juniors, who, together with many boys from Coach Morris' good frosh-soph team, promise to keep good, fast baseball, a Belvidere High trademark.

VARSITY SEASON RECORD

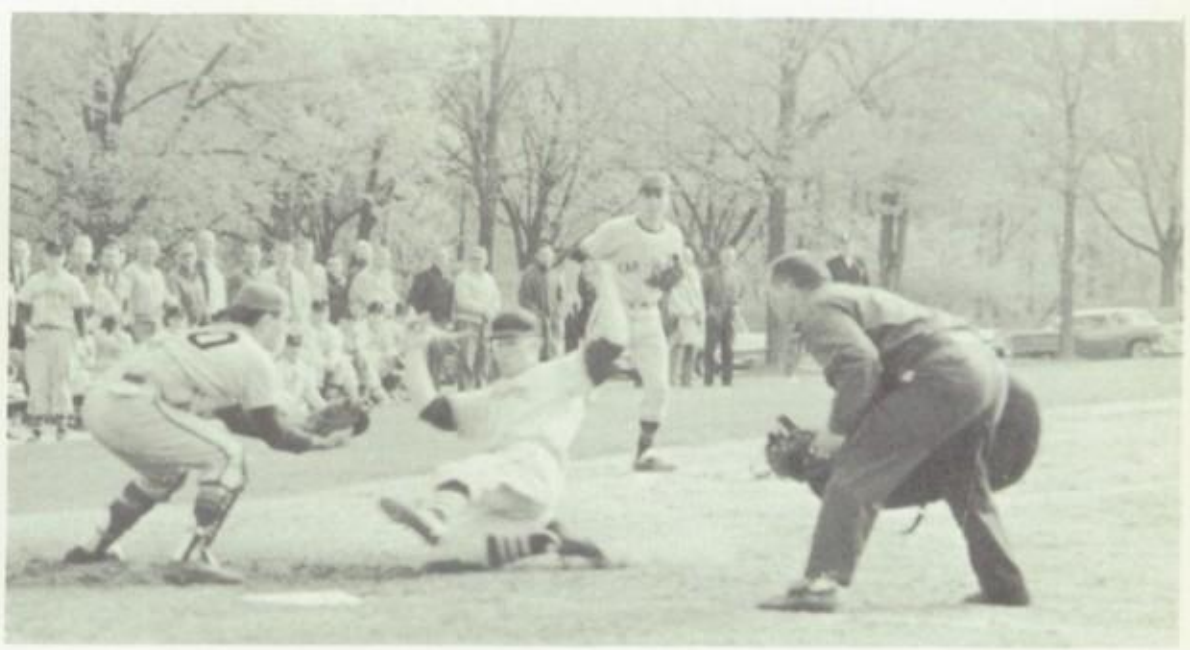
| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| BUCS | 8 | Genoa | 0 |
| BUCS | 2 | Kirkland | 0 |
| BUCS | 8 | Rochelle | 0 |
| BUCS | 0 | Rkfd. East | 6 |
| BUCS | 0 | St. Thomas | 2 |
| BUCS | 16 | Boylan | 4 |
| BUCS | 2 | Auburn | 2 |
| BUCS | 8 | Dekalb | 3 |
| BUCS | 3 | Rkfd. East | 5 |
| BUCS | 3 | Rkfd. West | 2 |
| BUCS | 13 | St. Thomas | 2 |
| BUCS | 8 | Harlem | 2 |
| BUCS | 0 | Dekalb | 4 |
| BUCS | 4 | Harlem | 1 |
| BUCS | 13 | So. Beloit | 0 |
| BUCS | 4 | Sycamore | 9 |
| BUCS | 10 | Rochelle | 11 |
| BUCS | 3 | Freeport | 2 |

The pitch is fired; the game begins.

Bucs await their turns in the batting cage.

Keator is greeted by his happy teammates after hammering a long homer.

Shuckhart lashing a homer.



Funderburg's slide didn't get him out of this fix.

# Track Men Set Marks

ROW ONE: D. Rhode, J. Carlson, S. Barnes, D. Winter, D. Pollock, G. Heschelman, G. Knox, R. Wyman, J. Vandercoy. ROW TWO: T. Norton, Manager; D. Negus, B. Salley, J. Wimberley, B. Schmitt, J. Gibbons, W. Hulstedt, K. Hicks, G. Smith, H. Kuehne, J. Null. ROW THREE: P. Frykholm, C. Pearson, M. Kirsche, R. Heschelman, J. Hyde, R. Manley, G. Smith, B. Libke, R. Blake, S. Cash.

This year's track team, although short on wins, improved steadily throughout the year to eventually become one of the finest in many years. Evidence of the vast improvement wrought by Coaches Barr and McKenna is the fact that late in the season the track squad soundly defeated Harlem, who had beaten the Bucs by more than 30 points in an early spring dual meet. The Bucs also did very well in the late May District and Little Seven Conference meets, finishing eighth out of thirty-seven teams in the former and fourth in the latter.

Two school records were set this year and a third was narrowly missed. The mile relay team composed of J. Hyde, R. Manley, P. Frykholm, and C. Pearson broke the former record of 3:40.9 several times, finally getting down to a 3:37.8 timing.

Frykholm and Pearson waged a year-long broad-jumping duel, continually leaping past the 20 foot mark. Frykholm established the new record with a leap of 21' 1 1/2". Paul also won the district title to qualify for the state meet at Champaign. Senior miler R. Blake missed the 18 year old school record of 4:42.3 by less than a second in his last race of the year! It was disappointing to Bob, who steadily lowered his times from about 5:05 at the the start of the season to his final 4:43. Blake ranks as the best Buc miler in the last decade and one half. Exciting performances like these made this year's track squad exciting to watch and hard to beat. With many talented underclassmen coming back from playing important roles on this year's team, next year's team could be even better and more exciting.

Track, a sport of speed, thrills, and blurred motion.

R. Blake, Bucs' stellar miler, shows his heels to an opponent.

Quarter-milers poised and ready for the all-important start.

# Frosh-Soph Baseball

ROW ONE: D. Ford, A. Widhalm, M. Plumley, N. Thorp, R. Mason, L. Baxter. ROW TWO: R. Hetland, D. Van Laningham, J. Dunbar, D. Swanson, B. Walker. ROW THREE: E. Walker, Manager; G. Kaiser, L. Burritt, R. Miller, F. Shattuck, G. Gamlin, M. O'Brien, W. Edwards, Manager. ROW FOUR: D. Edwards, J. Thornton, W. Jewell, J. Darby, D. Chamberlain, K. Garrigan.

# Tennis, Golf Teams Post Good Performances

## Tennis

ROW ONE: R. Hauth, B. Genz, G. Braker, B. Palmer, P. Stauffer. ROW TWO: C. Zdeb, R. Ruehl, G. Gorman, G. Winkelman. ROW THREE: T. Reeves, T. von Heimburg, R. Stegemann, S. Karp.

This year's tennis team was short on wins, but put up a stiff challenge to each team that it faced. Coach Copp's netmen had to practice with inadequate facilities and were at a disadvantage from the start of the season. Highlights of the year were a 6 1/2-2 1/2 win over Rochelle and two close matches with DeKalb. The number one doubles team of T. von Heimburg and R. Stegemann also provided some thrills when they advanced to the semi-finals of the District tournament before being edged by the championship Rockford East duet.

## Golf

This year's edition of the golf team was the finest in several years at Belvidere High. The combined golf squads won 19 of 35 matches, with the varsity leading the way with ten wins, nine losses, and a tie. The outstanding golfer throughout the year for Coach Wagley's crew was junior marksman Roy Buck. Roy repeatedly scored in the high 30's and the low 40's. His most sensational round was a 75 on the tough Rockford Country Club course, including a tremendous one under par 35 on the front nine. With only two graduating seniors, J. Brady and G. Dorn, in the top ten, the outlook for next year's team is very bright indeed.

DISTRICT TOURNEY SQUAD, ROW ONE: L. Shattuck, T. Wasson. ROW TWO: R. Buck, J. Brady, G. Holtfreter, R. Henderson, G. Dorn.

# Athletic Banquet

AWARD WINNERS, ROW ONE: J. McCartney, D. Wait, C. Pearson, J. Darby, D Swanson, N. Frank, R. Lamphere. ROW TWO: G. Keator, T. Reeves, B. Crum, R. Buck, J. Brady.

A few of the many trophies garnered by Belvidere High athletes over the years.

At the All-Sports Banquet, GARY KEATOR received the ED HUCK Mem. Award presented annually to the outstanding senior athlete. Other award winners are as follows: GARY KEATOR, Most Valuable Football Player, Most Valuable Baseball Player, and Fred Schulte Baseball Award for batting skills; JAN BRADY, Most Valuable Basketball Player and Basketball Co-Captain; BERNIE CRUM, Basketball Co-Captain; JIM McCARTNEY and DEAN WAIT, Varsity Free Throw Champions; JACK DARBY, Most Improved Sophomore Basketball Player; JOHN LOWERY, Most Valuable Wrestler; DAVE SWANSON, Best All-Round Freshman Athlete; NEAL FRANK and ROGER LAMPHERE, Blake Rairdin Managers Award; CLINT PEARSON, Most Valuable Trackman; DON PEARSON, Most Improved Sophomore Football Player; TOM REEVES, Most Valuable Tennisman, Tennis Captain; ROY BUCK, Most Valuable Golfer.

# Intramurals

The spring sports intramural tournaments were conducted by Mr. Lewis. First hour senior boys' gym class won the big softball tourney in convincing fashion. The tennis champs were J. Hage in the singles, and D. Schiltz and G. Dorn in the doubles. D. Conlin won the golf championship for juniors and seniors, while J. Thrun garnered the same prize in the frosh-soph division. Because of a lack of interest, no intramural track meet was held.

INTRAMURAL SOFTBALL CHAMPIONS, ROW ONE: L. Blum, J. Widhalm, J. McCoy, J. Hage, C. Hanna. ROW TWO: R. Blake, D. Schiltz, R. Davis, J. Rydbom, S. Smith.

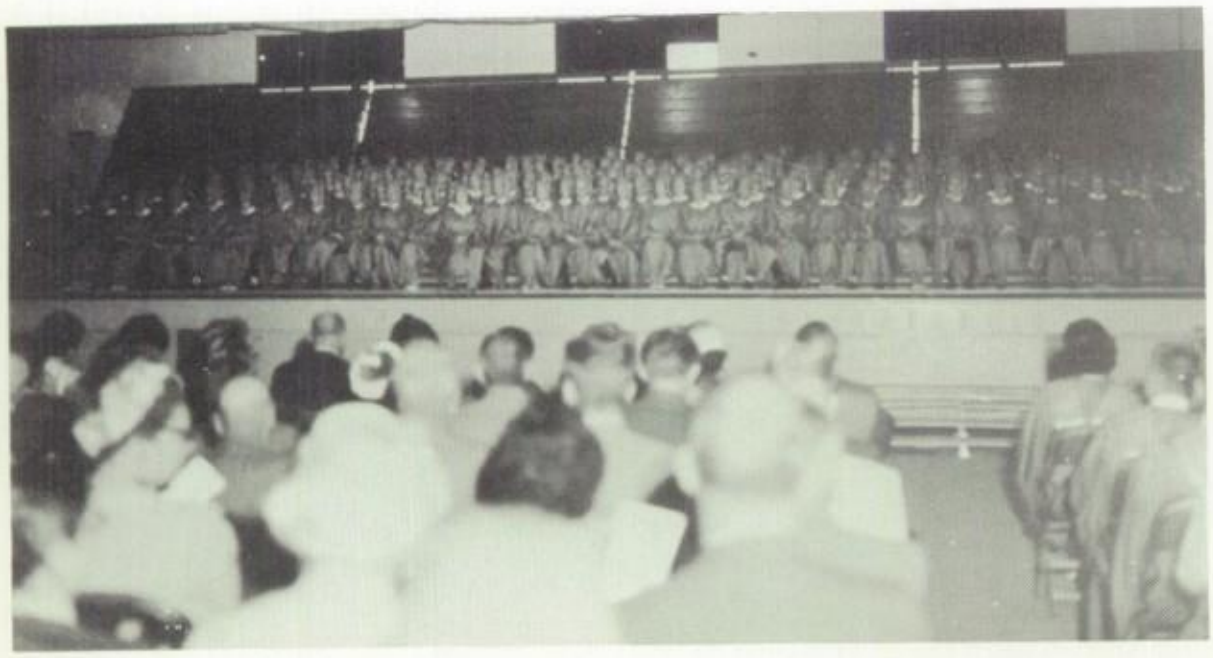
From the hidden depths the class history is unfurled.

Whoooo--ll be mentioned next in the class will.

# *Commencement Week*

Sharon Neufer joins the ranks of BHS alumnae as she receives her diploma from Dr. Douglas Drake.

Commencement Week Activities included Class Night, Baccalaureate, and Commencement. This week was the most memorable one in the lives of the seniors. With happiness the graduates viewed the future and with sadness remembered the last four and indeed the last eighteen years. Feelings of apprehension as to the future and success in the past were experienced by all of the graduates.



. . . presenting the 1962 graduating class.

Valedictorian Tom Reeves and Salutatorian Larry Hopperstead lead the recessional.

# *Activities*

Jan Brady is congratulated by Mr. McAllister upon receiving an award.

Tom Reeves delivers the Valedictory.

Dick Ferguson receives the Mantle from last year's recipient Tom Reeves.

AWARD WINNERS, FRONT ROW: S. Engelsen, B. Franklin, K. DeMunn, P. Munger, S. Bottcher. SECOND ROW: S. Winter, G. Oncken, T. Reeves.

# 1st Semester Honor Roll

| FRESHMAN | SOPHOMORE | JUNIORS | SENIORS |
|---|---|---|---|
| Adamson, Daniel | Brown, Sherrie | Burger, Joan | Aves, Ron |
| Allen, Barbara | Burritt, Larry | Conlin, Dean | Engelson, Cheryl |
| Dague, Susan | Chamberlain, Dan | Cullison, Bonnie | Fritz, Sandra |
| Dunbar, Jed | DeMunn, Kristine | Curtis, Mark | Gustella, Sandra |
| Ellis, Dian | Drake, Douglas | Dague, Diane | Hill, Andy |
| Ford, Don | Harling, Ron | Ehlen, Sandra | Neufer, Sharon |
| Harrison, Sally | Karp, Charles | Ferguson, Dick | Oncken, Jerry |
| Hess, Pat | Luckett, Gary | Finnestad, Judy | Palmquist, Carol |
| Hill, Jeremie | Morrison, Karen | Holroyd, Ann | Peterson, Maureen |
| Kleveland, Calvin | Peterson, Donna | Lear, Sally | Reeves, Tom |
| Martin, Myra | Schwebke, Judy | Lear, Sherry | Schiltz, Dave |
| Meinheit, Susan | Tomamichel, Karen | Marcellus, Darcie | Sippel, John |
| Mitchell, Donna | Weld, Dianne | Munger, Lance | Strandberg, Carol |
| Oncken, Nancy | Wimberley, John | Rogner, Karen | Stuart, George |
| Rogner, James | | Rohda, Ruth | Widhalm, Joe |
| Scheibly, Linda | | Stienecker, Fritzi | Winkelman, Gordon |
| Smith, Myron | | Swanlund, Paul | |
| Swanson, David | | Wasson, Tom | |
| Thorp, Nick | | Woods, Joy | |
| Tomamichel, Kay | | | |
| Wahler, Larry | | | |

# 2nd Semester Honor Roll

| FRESHMEN | SOPHOMORES | JUNIORS | SENIORS |
|---|---|---|---|
| Adamson, Daniel | Brown, Sherrie | Burger, Joan | Aves, Ron |
| Allen, Barbara | Burritt, Larry | Conlin, Dean | Engelson, Cheryl |
| Dague, Susan | Chamberlain, Dan | Cullison, Bonnie | Fritz, Sandra |
| Dunbar, Jed | DeMunn, Kristine | Curtis, Mark | Gustella, Sandra |
| Ellis, Dian | Drake, Douglas | Dague, Diane | Hill, Andy |
| Ford, Don | Harling, Ron | Ehlen, Sandra | Neufer, Sharon |
| Harrison, Sally | Hansen, Cheryl | Ferguson, Dick | Palmquist, Carol |
| Hill, Jeremie | Karp, Charles | Finnestad, Judy | Peterson, Maureen |
| Kleveland, Calvin | Luckett, Gary | Lear, Sally | Reeves, Tom |
| Martin, Myra | Peterson, Donna | Lear, Sherry | Schiltz, Dave |
| Meinheit, Susan | Schwebke, Judy | Marcellus, Darcie | Sippel, John |
| Mitchell, Donna | Tomamichel, Karen | Munger, Lance | Stranberg, Carol |
| Oncken, Nancy | Weld, Dianne | Rogner, Karen | Stuart, George |
| Parent, Janice | Wimberley, John | Rohda, Ruth | Widhalm, Joe |
| Rogner, James | | Stienecker, Fritzi | Winkelman, Gordon |
| Scheibly, Linda | | Swanlund, Paul | |
| Smith, Myron | | Wasson, Tom | |
| Swanson, David | | Woods, Joy | |
| Thorp, Nick | | Holroyd, Ann | |
| Tomamichel, Kay | | | |
| Wahler, Larry | | | |

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# Semester Honor Rolls

January 18, 1957

| SENIORS | JUNIORS | SOPHOMORES | FRESHMEN |
|---|---|---|---|
| Sandra Barr | Kathie Dobbins | Sharon Burton | Sharon Adamson |
| Barbara DeWane | Jeanne Fair | Carla Harms | Suzanne Backs |
| Alice Huedepohl | Marion Ferguso.. | Blanche Keating | Shirley Baley |
| Ann Keating | Irvine Huck | Nancy Nihan | Elaine Bottema |
| Ortwin Kolewe | David Johnson | Mary Oakley | Charles Carlsor |
| Lois LaBuy | Judith Leonard | Melba Oakley | Alvin Fletcher |
| Julie Oliver | Geralyn LePart | Ingrid Pesler | Aurelia Hansen |
| Linda Sewell | Judy Wasson | Sue Ramsay | George Nelson |
| Ronald Sturm | Henrietta Wheatley | Nancy Schuler | Shirley Newell |
| Beverly Turner | | Hugh Thompson | Alan Olson |
| Donna Ward | | | Sheryl Peterson |
| | | | Ruth Pineger |
| | | | Mike Rogers |
| | | | Carol Schreiber |
| | | | William Sonnenberg |
| | | | Delbert Swanson |
| | | | Richard Thornton |
| | | | Kelley Thrun |
| | | | Barbara Wilcox |

June 4, 1957

| SENIORS | JUNIORS | SOPHOMORES | FRESHMEN |
|---|---|---|---|
| Sandra Barr | Doris Coleman | Sue Asbury | Sharon Adamson |
| Barbara DeWane | Kathie Dobbins | Sharon Burton | Suzanne Backs |
| James Evans | Jeanne Fair | Kenneth DeMunn | Shirley Baley |
| Carol Fye | Marion Ferguson | Georgeann Gibson | Elaine Bottema |
| Louell Huddlestun | David Johnson | Gayle Grothman | Charles Carlson |
| Alice Huedepohl | Judith Leonard | Robert Hamilton | James Clay |
| Richard Keister | Geralyn LePart | Carla Harms | Robert Daniel |
| Lois LaBuy | Henrietta Wheatley | Mary Oakley | Aurelia Hansen |
| Peggy Luckow | | Melba Oakley | Judy Jensen |
| Virginia Martin | | Ingrid Pesler | Karen Kuss |
| Larry McLain | | Sue Ramsay | George Nelson |
| Darryl Moss | | Nancy Schuler | Alan Olson |
| Julie Oliver | | Kay Steinke | Mike Rogers |
| Irmgard Pesler | | | Carol Schreiber |
| Ronald Salley | | | Beverly Snyder |
| Linda Sewell | | | William Sonnenberg |
| Donna Snyder | | | Delbert Swanson |
| Ronald Sturm | | | Kelley Thrun |
| Beverly Turner | | | Sandra Warner |
| Donna Ward | | | Judith Weld |
| Ruthanne Whalen | | | Barbara Wilcox |

# Seniors echo cheers — and tears.

FIRST ROW: Janet Knight, Boone County American Legion Award; Ann Keating, Belvidere Woman's Clubs Awards; Irmgard Pesler, Panhellenic Award. SECOND ROW: Ron Salley, H.K. Funderburg Award; Alice Huedepohl, H.K. Funderburg Award, Belvidere Registered Nurses' Award, Award from the Auxiliary of the Boone County Medical Society; Larry McLain, Belvidere Rotary Club Award.

Kathie Dobbins joyfully receives Mantle from Peggy Luckow.

## Class Night and Commencement

Ginger Cooper, Peggy Luckow, Larry McLain, Jean Wendell, Ruthanne Whalen, and Mary Ann Whitehead humorously read the will of the Class of '57.

Mary Jean Armour, Paul Artlip, Mary Lou Bergmann, Ruth Carlson, Joanne Coarson, Carol Fye, Judy Nash, Marcia Neufer, Jerry Rowe, Bunny Rundell, and Ilse Winter kept the audience in stitches with the gifts to the class.

The highlight of the evening came when Peggy Luckow presented the Mantle, which she had received the previous year, to Kathie Dobbins, voted by the faculty as the most outstanding junior. Linda Sewell, the president of the Class of '57, presented the class memorial.

Ortwin Kolewe's salutatory address and Ronald Sturm's valedictory speech were featured at the beginning and conclusion of the Class Night program.

The BIG night, Commencement, came next. Dr. Miller Upton, president of Beloit College, addressed the graduates, using "Can You Pass?" as his subject. The Reverend Paul G. Dibble of the First Methodist Church, gave the invocation and benediction. After the presentation of the awards, Mr. Leslie Carlson, president of the school board, distributed diplomas to the one hundred and twenty-two graduates.

The awaited moment has at last arrived.

Ronald Sturm is one of several seniors to receive scholarships.

# As graduation time appears,

Tri-Class weaves South Sea magic.

Skeletons reveal Class Will

## Tri-Class and Baccalaureate

The last days of one's senior year are very, very busy.

After the night of Tri-Class, a formal dance given in honor of the graduating class by the freshmen, sophomores, and juniors, the seniors continued in their busy whirl of activities.

Sunday, June 3, Baccalaureate was held. The Reverend Harley C.W. Tretow of St. John's Evangelical and Reformed Church spoke on "New Horizons" to the Class of '57. The invocation, scripture reading, and benediction were offered by the Reverend David Backstrom of the South Baptist Church. The processional and recessional by the graduating class opened and closed the Baccalaureate service.

Monday night was Class Night, held in the Community Building. Principal V.E. McAllister gave recognition to the honorary societies, outstanding commercial students, and to the twenty-six seniors who would be graduated with a scholastic average of 90 or above.

The class history was hilariously reviewed by Doris Clausius, Jerry Cunningham, Jeanne Ehlers, Barb Root, Linda Sewell, and Bev Turner.

Psychiatrist analyzes 1957's History.

Robbers discover loot -- gifts to seniors.

# Proves to be the best.

"Reverend Seils, you blow horn and sun she comes up."

". . . and we're going to bring the sun back."

Reverend Seils' plan to blow a trumpet blast as the sun comes back falls through when the sun does not appear when expected as Amogah, (Sam Blakely), the pagan Eskimo, had prophesied. Mrs. Achukuk, (Marcia Neufer), the Eskimo woman working for the Seils, fears the absence of the sun is caused because she has not been as good a church member as she could be. She would be better, she explains, if she was sure she'd been kissed on her forehead and not her hat when being taken into the church to become a "full up" member.

All ends happily, however, because Dr. Baird discovers that the sun was delayed because of an eclipse. He has Reverend Seils' promise to send his three younger daughters to school in the states and to kiss Mrs. Achukuk's forehead to satisfy her that she's a member of the church. The sun gloriously returns; Amogah joins the church, and Dr. Baird and Sylvia tell Reverend and Mrs. Seils of their plans to get married and to help Reverend Seils and his wife educate the people of the Arctic.

The play was successfully directed by Miss Ruth Bowman.

"Sylvia. . . fainted."

Hurry up with those rolls.

# "Sunrise by Request"

All nervously await curtain call.

From Sam to Amogah by Gordon

## Senior Class Play

"Ready on stage; curtain going up!" The senior class play is in full action climaxing weeks of daily rehearsals. The three act play by Marcus Bach was named "Sunrise by Request" and was held on May 16 and 17 on the Community Building stage.

The play concerns a missionary and his family at Point Barrow, Alaska. Reverend Mr. Seils' (Chuck Cowger) sole ambition is to "Save the Eskimos." However, his four daughters, Georgienne, seventeen (Doris Clausius), Arlene, nineteen (Linda Sewell), Marjorie, twenty-one (Anita Lampert), and Sylvia, twenty-four (Peggy Luckow) have ambitions centering around finding a man in the Arctic, as they have not seen a white man in five years. Reverend Seils' understanding wife (Alice Huedepohl) is always at her husband's side but is sympathetic towards her daughters' feelings, much to her husband's despair.

The Seils' household is set in a turmoil when young Doctor John Baird (John Lanning) is called in from California because of Sylvia's puzzling illness. The race then begins among the three younger girls to win Dr. Baird's attention. Arlene and Marjorie eagerly offer the doctor their services and Georgienne tries everything from Katharine Hepburn sophistication, and cooking cornmeal to fainting.

"Am I ready? Look at me!"

"Ain't she a peach?"

# Earned us a Whing-Ding—first rate.

6:30 P.M.--The night begins!

8:30 P.M.--Your manners are showing.

9:30 P.M.--Don Docker serenades Prom-goers.

## Prom and Whing-Ding

The upperclassmen anxiously looked forward to the night of May 18--Prom night! The theme the juniors chose was Pink Prelude. The festivities started at 6:30 P.M. with the banquet at the Community Building, at which all seniors, faculty, and Board of Education members were guests of the juniors. From there, all went to Bel-Mar Country Club and danced to the music of Don Docker's orchestra. After Prom the crowd went home and changed into more informal attire.

At 12:15 A.M. everybody met at the Apollo Theater and saw their favorite cartoons and "Two Years Before the Mast." Cheeseburgers and hot chocolate or coffee were served at the V.F.W. Club later. Upstairs the crowd then witnessed a floor show given by students of Northwestern University plus some impromptu acts from our own talent, including clever anecdotes from Jerry Rowe, Master of Ceremonies.

'Long about 5:00 A.M. all returned to the Community Building for breakfast, served by the High School P.T.A., which consisted of everything from toast to pancakes. After breakfast, Protestant services were held upstairs in the Community Building and 6:00 o'clock Mass was said at St. James Church.

Then all went home--and slept!

2 A.M.--Many enjoy the floor show.

5:15 A.M.--Chow line for sleepy Whing-Dingers.

# The Variety Show, with talent so great,

THE GRAND FINALE!!!

"I crown thee Miss Whing-Ding of 1957."

## Variety Show

The Prom and Whing-Ding are very special to every junior and senior. B.H.S. first witnessed a Whing-Ding four years ago. The big money-making project for Whing-Ding is the Variety Show. This year it was held March 29. The talented ones of Belvidere High School performed before a full house at the Community Building. The highlight of the evening was the coronation of Steve O'Sullivan (Miss Harem Dancer) as Miss Whing-Ding, chosen from a field of lovely belles. Each of the contestants came out on the stage one at a time.

Another feature of the show was a girls' chorus line composed of upperclass girls doing a "rock & roll" number. John Lanning was the master of ceremonies. The variety show proved to be a complete success, for approximately $500.00 was taken in. During the intermission the I.O.U. Club presented a check of $100.00 to Mr. McAllister for the Whing-Ding fund.

Mr. McAllister, our principal, spent many hours planning and working to help the Variety Show and Whing-Ding be a success.

Two of Belvidere's "Beauties" get made up for show.

Spotlights are placed on Belvidere's talents.

Varieties compose the Variety Show.

# Track squad has good season.

Giles Turner spins in the discus circle.

FROSH TRACK: FIRST ROW: W. Bogardus, J. Wendell, G. Nelson, G. Schultz, W. Sonnenberg, C. Hoiness. SECOND ROW: R. Luetkenhaus, K. Pearse, R. Alms, T. Stenerson, L. Isbell, J. Dulgar. THIRD ROW: J. Ellis, J. Chamberlin, R. Hyland, R. Miller, D. Southwood.

This year's varsity track record was the best B.H.S. has seen in many years. The Bucs placed first in three dual meets and placed high in various relays. Ortwin Kolewe won the District 440 and was defeated only once in his senior year in his speciality. The defeat came at the state finals at Champaign. The mile relay record set in 1956 was broken by Giles Turner, Don Clausius, Ortwin Kolewe, and Jim Summers with a time of 3:46. Jerry Rowe continued to break records as he set a school record with a jump of 20 feet in the broad jump. Sophomore Dave Curtis proved very valuable by winning the half-mile in the conference meet. This was Belvidere's only first place in the conference. Roger Crawford tied the pole vault record five times at 10'6", but he couldn't break the record.

Jerry Rowe was elected captain, and Ortwin Kolewe was elected most valuable player for second year in a row. That was the first time in the school's history that the same boy has won the award two years in succession.

Most Valuable Track Man
Ortwin Kolewe.

VARSITY TRACK: FIRST ROW: D. Taylor, R. Crawford, D. Johnson, L. Booth, G. Ward, O. Kolewe. SECOND ROW: D. Smith, R. Jacobson, D. Clausius, J. Cole, G. Heitz, R. Salley. THIRD ROW: J. Evans, J. Summers, G. Turner, D. Curtis, G. Hansen, P. Johnson.

Jerry Rowe goes over the high jump bar.

# Golf and tennis build for future.

Ortwin Kolewe wins the 100 yard dash against Sycamore.

VARSITY GOLF: FIRST ROW: B. Beu, W. Ramsey, G. Simon. SECOND ROW: B. Leaich, D. Howard, B. Dorn, C. Auman.

This year's golf and tennis squads were short on wins but strong in spirit and determination. The golf squad won one and lost five, while the tennis squad won two and lost three. Both squads have many returning underclassmen.

VARSITY TENNIS: FIRST ROW: R. Thornton, A. Olson. SECOND ROW: R. Fritz, R. Stegman.

Jerry Rowe breaks the broad jump record.

Ron Salley leads the field in the high hurdles.

# Bucs compile fine record; win district title.

Marlyn Morehead, Pitcher; Butch Barr, Catcher; Bob Combs, Pitcher.

JUNIOR VARSITY BASEBALL TEAM: FIRST ROW: B. Smith, J. Hyland, C. Shuckhart, C. Tobin. SECOND ROW: P. Silvius, D. Whitehead, D. Diamond, M. Anderson K. Boyle, D. Ferguson.

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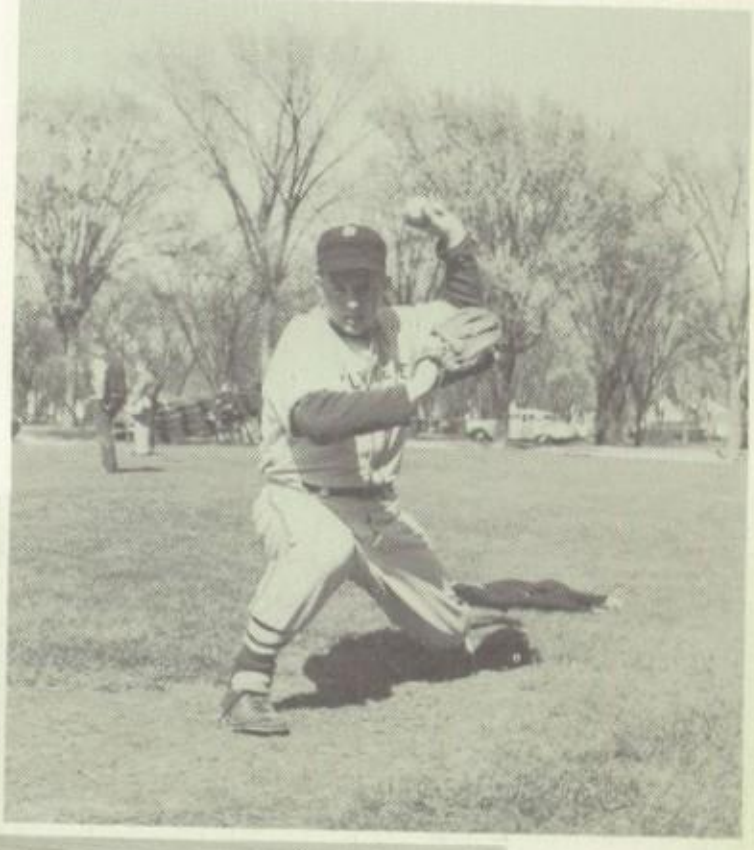
|---|---|---|---|
| Belvidere | 18 | Beloit Catholic | 0 |
| Belvidere | 5 | Dixon | 4 |
| Belvidere | 8 | East Rockford | 2 |
| Belvidere | 6 | Freeport | 1 |
| Belvidere | 5 | Genoa | 1 |
| Belvidere | 16 | St. Thomas | 3 |
| Belvidere | 8 | West Rockford | 7 |
| Belvidere | 2 | Sycamore | 4 |
| Belvidere | 10 | Beloit Catholic | 0 |
| Belvidere | 5 | Kirkland | 4 |
| Belvidere | 1 | Dixon | 3 |
| Belvidere | 11 | East Rockford | 4 |
| Belvidere | 3 | Freeport | 6 |
| Belvidere | 8 | West Rockford | 0 |
| Belvidere | 3 | East Rockford | 1 |
| Belvidere | 11 | West Rockford | 1 |
| Belvidere | 3 | Richmond | 0 |
| Belvidere | 7 | McHenry | 8 |
| Belvidere | 6 | St. Thomas | 1 |

Ace Belvidere Pitcher, Marlyn Morehead.



FRESHMEN BASEBALL TEAM: FIRST ROW: B. Wilson, M. Rogers, F. Brock, K. Thrun, R. Blunt, J. Gipp. SECOND ROW: C. Davis, R. Oldejans, T. Holt, R. Smith, T. McKeown. THIRD ROW: R. Loveridge, E. Scholl, J. Dorris, F. Bounds, D. Hansen, R. Bounds.

Safe at first!

# Bucs win Rock Valley Conference.

Butch Barr awaits the throw from the outfield as East Rockford runner scores.

Most Valuable Baseball Player: Marlyn Morehead; Leading Team Hitter: Gary Carroll.

This year the Bucs won the Rock Valley Championship for the first time. The Varsity won 10 and lost 2. The losses were to Dixon and Freeport. The Bucs had the leading conference hitter in Jerry Cunningham who hit .468. Marlyn Morehead was the leading pitcher with a record of 6 wins and 1 loss.

During the year the Bucs defeated East and West Rockford three times each and St. Thomas twice for a total of eight defeats to Rockford schools.

The leading team hitter for the whole year was Gary Carroll who hit .446. The season record was 15 wins and 4 losses. This fine record was compiled by the best pitching staff in history and the best hitting ball club ever fielded at B.H.S.

They lost in the Regional finals to McHenry. The squad members chose "Lefty" Morehead as the most valuable player and Jerry Cunningham as Captain.

Wilbur Baumann, Third Baseman; Gary Carroll, Outfielder; Jerry Cunningham, Outfielder.

Darryl Moss, Second Baseman; Wayne Casperson, First Baseman; Butch Keister, Outfielder; Harry Zoellick, Shortstop.

# win high honors.

Dan Whitehead crosses the plate for a Buc score.

INTRAMURAL SOFTBALL CHAMPS: FIRST ROW: F. Smith, D. Conwell, J. Larson, F. Frank, G. Twigg, D. Miller. SECOND ROW: K. Brenz, R. Fritz, G. Conklin, R. Meckley, J. Pearson, W. Rickelman.

## Blake Rairdin Memorial

The Blake Rairdin Memorial Award was presented for the second year to the most outstanding manager. This award is based on scholarship, citizenship, and willingness to serve. Blake certainly possessed all of these qualities. The recipient of the award at the All-Sports Banquet was Mike George.

Mike George proudly receives the Blake Rairdin Memorial.

INTRAMURAL TRACK CHAMPS: FIRST ROW: G. Carroll, P. Artlip, O. Kolewe, J. Rowe, G. Turner, R. Maxon, R. Crawford. SECOND ROW: R. Salley, R. Fields, H. Zoellick, J. Cunningham, W. Baumann, D. Moss, J. Summers. THIRD ROW: D. Clausius, L. McLain, D. Smith, S. O'Sullivan, J. Evans.

INTRAMURAL VOLLEYBALL CHAMPS: FIRST ROW: Richard Fritz, Kenneth Robertson, Clarence Paulson, James Pearson. SECOND ROW: Donald Gray, Warren Rickelman, Fred Smith, Howard Keating, John Larson, Dennis Conwell.

# Deserving sportsmen

RST ROW: Dave Smith, Most Valuable Football Player; Mike George, Jerry owe, Larry McLain, Marlyn Morehead. SECOND ROW: Ortwin Kolewe, chard Keister, Giles Turner, Most Outstanding Football Defensive Player; r. McAllister, Basketball Holiday Tourney Championship Trophy and Con- rence Baseball Championship Trophy; Gary Carroll, Chuck Byers, Bob Smith. HIRD ROW: Jack Chamberlin, Most Outstanding Freshman Athlete; Dave dder, Most Improved Sophomore Football Player.

Varsity Free Throw Champ, Butch Keister; Most Valuable Player, Jerry Rowe; Captain, Larry McLain.

# Ed Huck Memorial

The recipient of this year's Ed Huck Award is Jerry Rowe.

This year's winner of the Ed Huck Memorial award truly possessed all the qualities of sportsmanship, athletic ability and service. Jerry Rowe was the recipient of the honor. The B Club members select the senior boy believe is most deserving of the award. The trophy is presented in memory of Ed Huck, who died in 1945.

Sophomore Free Throw Champ, Chuck Byers; Most Improved player, Bob Smith.

Gary Carroll comes into third base in the East Rockford game.

# Sports of All Sorts

Hurry! Only two hours to go!

Al Raymond's music--real smooth.

## GAA Activities

The Girls Athletic Association has many spring activities. First is the G.A.A. spring informal dance, "Springtime Splendor." The girls' hard work was not in vain because all the couples enjoyed dancing to the music of Al Raymond's orchestra.

This year Belvidere was host to a group of schools at a Play Day in April. Many G.A.A. members enjoyed all types of athletic events.

The last but by far not the least event on a G.A.A. girl's calendar is the Mother and Daughter Banquet. The mothers as well as their daughters look forward to this happy occasion. The highlight of the night is the presentation of the Rosemary Zvonar Memorial given each year to an outstanding junior G.A.A. member. This year Peggy Luckow, last year's recipient, presented the memorial to Ann Howe, the only girl in the history of G.A.A. in B.H.S. to hold an office for three consecutive years.

After the presentation of the memorial, next year's officers were announced. Mary Alice Julin, next year's president, and Ann Howe will be Belvidere's delegates to G.A.A. camp at Conference Point, Lake Geneva, in June.

Ann Howe receives Zvonar Memorial from Peggy Luckow.

"Moose" (Mary Alice Julin) displays Belvidere's power at Play Day.

# Alice and Larry make seniors merry.

Elbow room only.

CARNIVAL QUEEN AND KING
Alice Huedepohl and Larry McLain

## Carnival Council

With a crowd of 1,275, the Student Council Carnival at the Community Building proved to be a complete success. Each organization and class chose concessions, the winners of the Christmas Decoration Contest having first choice. The concession list included such favorites as the cake walk, kangaroo kourt, bowling, golf putting, shuffle board, football and basketball throw, telegrams, record requests, and the garter toss. The Student Council planned the floor layout and decorated the ceiling and throne. Each class and organization decorated its own booth.

Upon paying admission each person received one ballot to vote for whichever class's candidates he wanted to reign over the carnival. This night always climaxes a week of vigorous campaigning by each class.

The highlight of the evening came when Dave Smith, Student Council president, announced the winners to be the SENIORS--Alice Huedepohl and Larry McLain!! Alice and Larry were then crowned by Sherron Auman and Dick Holmquist, the retiring Queen and King.

SOPHOMORES
Bob Jones and Lynn Meyers

FRESHMEN RUNNERS UP
Buzz Davis and Sidney Mickey

JUNIORS
Judy McLean and Danny Lunsford

Of Spring
We Sing

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